PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 18th February 1909.

No. 17.—Mr. W. C. Davis, Examiner of Accounts, is, on return from leave, posted to the office of the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, United Provinces.

No. 18.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 35 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1903 (III of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased to confer upon the Municipal Board of Mussoorie, the licensee under the Mussoorie (Municipal) Electric License, 1908, for the placing of appliances and apparatus for the transmission of energy for the purpose of the construction and maintenance of high and low tension electric supply lines in connection with the undertaking, the powers which the telegraph authority possesses under sections 10 to 19 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), with respect to the placing of telegraph lines and posts for the purposes of a telegraph established or maintained by the Government or to be so maintained or established. The exercise of the powers hereby conferred is subject to the provisions of the said Indian Telegraph Act, 1885.

No. 19.—The following transfers are ordered in the Superior Accounts Branch:—

Name and rank.	From office of	To office of
Mr. M. K. Mitra, Examiner of Accounts.	Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Punjab.	Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway.
Mr. B. N. Mitra, Deputy Examiner of Accounts.	Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway.	Examiner, Public Works Accounts, Punjab.

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

STAR OF INDIA AND INDIAN EMPIRE.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 19th February 1909.

No. 30-S. I.—His Excellency the Grand Master of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India and of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire, held an Investiture of both Orders at Government House, Calcutta, at 9-30 P.M., on Tuesday, the 9th February 1909.

At this ceremony, His Excellency the Grand Master, in accordance with His Majesty's Commands, first *invested* the Hon'ble Mr. Charles Stuart Bayley, C.S.I., Indian Civil Service; His Higness Raj Rana Bhawani Singh, of Jhalawar; Raja Tasadduk Rasul Khan, C.S.I., of Jahangirabad, Oudh; the Hon'ble Mr. John William Pitt Muir-Mackenzie, C.S.I., Indian Civil Service; the Hon'ble Nawab Bahadur Khwaja Salimulla, C.S.I., of Dacca; the Hon'ble Mr. James Wilson, C.S.I., Indian Civil Service; the Hon'ble Mr. Henry Erle Richards, K.C.; and His Highness Farzand-i-Dilband Rasikh-ul-Itikad Daulat-i-Inglishia Raja-i-Rajagan Raja Ranbir Singh Bahadur, of Jind, with the Insignia of the Second Class of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India; and *decorated* James Scorgie Meston, Esq., Indian Civil Service; the Hon'ble Mr. Romer Edward Younghusband, Indian Civil Service; Spencer Harcourt Butler, Esq., C.I.E., Indian Civil Service; John Alexander Broun, Esq., Indian Civil Service; the Hon'ble Mr. William Thomson Morison, Indian Civil Service; Lieutenant-Colonel James Robert Dunlop-Smith, C.I.E., Indian Army; Maharaj Bhairon Singh; Maurice Walter Fox-Strangways, Esq., Indian Civil Service; the Hon'ble Sardar Partab Singh, Ahluwalia; the Hon'ble Mr. Edward Douglas Maclagan, Indian Civil Service; Munshi Madho Lal; and Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Herbert, Indian Army, with the badge of the Third Class, of the same Order.

His Excellency then *invested* Honorary Colonel Nawab Muhammad Aslam Khan, Sardar Bahadur, C.I.E., Honorary Aide-de-Camp to the King; Thomas Henry Holland, Esq.; Nawab Afsar-ul-Mulk Afsar-ud-Daula Bahadur, Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Muhammad

Ali Beg, C.I.E., M.V.O.; the Hon'ble Lieutenant-Colonel George Olaf Roos-Keppel, C.I.E., Indian Army; His Highness Umdae Rajahae Baland Makan Maharajadhiraja Madan Singh Bahadur, of Kishangarh; His Highness Rais-ud-Daula Sipahdar-ul-Mulk Maharajadhiraja Sri Sawai Maharaj Rana Ram Singh Lokindar Bahadur Diler Jang Jai Deo, of Dholpur; the Hon'ble Raja Muhammad Ali Muhammad Khan, Khan Bahadur, of Mahmudabad; Trevredyn Rashleigh Wynne, Esq., C.I.E.; Surgeon-General Gerald Bomford, C.I.E., M.D., Indian Medical Service; the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Bijay Chand Mahtab Bahadur, of Burdwan; Raja Baldeo Singh, of Poonch; and Nawab Hafiz Muhammad Abdulla Khan, Alizai, C.I.E., with the Insignia of the Second Class of the Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire; and *decorated* the Hon'ble Mr. Arthur Milford Ker; Rear-Admiral George Hayley Hewett, R.N.; Evasio Hampden Radice, Esq., Indian Civil Service; Ralph Buller Hughes-Buller, Esq., Indian Civil Service; Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Binning, V.D.; Michael Filose, Esq.; Rai Sahib Diwan Daya Kishen Kaul; Lieutenant-Colonel Stuart Hill Godfrey, Indian Army; Major Denys Brooke Blakeway, Indian Army; Khan Bahadur Sahibzada Abdul Qaiyum; the Hon'ble Maung Bah-Too, K.S.M.; Colonel Ernest William Stuart King Maconchy, D.S.O., Indian Army; Archdale Earle, Esq., Indian Civil Service; William Ellis Jardine, Esq., Indian Civil Service; Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Horsford Bingley, Indian Army; Frederick Loch Halliday, Esq., M.V.O.; Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Thorp Jessop, V.D.; William Arthur Dring, Esq.; Major Keith David Erskine, Indian Army; Major Richmond Trevor Crichton, Indian Army; Raja Ram Singh, of Rampura; Maulvi Rahim Baksh; Munshi Azis-ud-din, M.V.O.; Babu Nilambar Mukharji; and Rajendra Nath Mukerji, Esq., with the Badge of the Third Class, of the same Order.

After the Investitures of the Orders were concluded, the Insignia of the Second Class of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath were presented to Major-General Sir Arthur Arnold Barrett, K.C.B.; Badges of the Third Class of the same Order to Major-General Henry Bulkley Burlton Watkis, C.B.; Brigadier General Charles Herbert Powell, C.B.; Brigadier-General Francis Garnett Atkinson, C.B.; Brigadier-General Francis Henry Rutherford Drummond, C.B., C.I.E.; Brigadier-General Alexander Wallace, C.B.; Lieutenant-Colonel Johnston Shearer, C.B., D.S.O., M.B., Indian Medical Service; Brevet-Colonel Walter Ernest Phillips, C.B.; Lieutenant-Colonel Kenneth James Buchanan, C.B.; and Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Alexander Carruthers, C.B.; the Insignia of the Second Class of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George to Sir Guy Douglas Arthur Fleetwood Wilson, K.C.B., K.C.M.G.; the Badge of the Third Class of the Civil Division of the Indian Order of Merit to the Hon'ble Maharajadhiraja Sir Bijay Chand Mahtab Bahadur, K.C.I.E., of Burdwan; and Kaisar-i-Hind Medals of the First Class, for Public Service in India to William Egerton, Esq., Indian Civil Service; Benjamin Russell Barber, Esq., Ph.B.; Sardar Coopuswamy Vizianagram Mudliar; and Arthur Roberts Wood, Esq.

The following Members of the two Indian Orders attended:—

Major-General His Highness Maharaja Sir Partab Singh Indar Mahindar Bahadur Sipar-i-Saltanat, G.C.S.I., of Jammu and Kashmir.
His Excellency General the Right Hon'ble Horatio Herbert Viscount Kitchener of Khartoum, G.C.B., O.M., G.C.I.E., G.C.M.G., R.E.
His Honour Sir Lancelot Hare, K.C.S.I., C.I.E.
His Honour Sir Edward Norman Baker, K.C.S.I.
Maharaja Sir Venkata Svetachalapati Ranga Rao, K.C.I.E., of Bobbili.
Sir Purna Narasingharao Krishna Murti, K.C.I.E.
Sir Herbert Hope Risley, K.C.I.E., C.S.I.
Raja Piari Mohan Mukharji, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. William Rudolph Henry Merk, C.S.I.
John Molesworth Macpherson, Esq., C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. John Ontario Miller, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Sir Harvey Adamson, Kt., C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. William Charles Macpherson, C.S.I.
Raja Ban Behari Kapur, C.S.I.
Sir Harold Arthur Stuart, K.C.V.O., C.S.I.
Lionel Montague Jacob, Esq., C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Cecil Michael Wilford Brett, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. Apcar Alexander Apcar, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. John Mitchell Holms, C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. Francis Alexander Slacke, C.S.I.
Saiyid Hussain Bilgrami, Esq., C.S.I.
The Hon'ble Mr. Percy Comyn Lyon, C.S.I.
Brigadier-General Herbert Mullaly, C.B., C.S.I., R.E.
John Stuart Donald, Esq., C.I.E.
Francis Erskine Dempster, Esq., C.I.E.
Commander Eaton Wallace Petley, C.I.E., R.N.
Dr. Waldemar Mordecai Haffkine, C.I.E.
Rustamji Dhanjibhai Mehta, Esq., C.I.E.
Sahibzada Muhammad Bakhtiyar Shah, C.I.E.

Benjamin Robertson, Esq., C.I.E.
Duncan James Macpherson, Esq., C.I.E.
Robert Warrand Carlyle, Esq., C.I.E.
Major-General Robert Irvin Scallon, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O.
Captain Alfred Beckett Minchin, C.I.E.
Charles Still, Esq., C.I.E.
Francis Jack Needham, Esq., C.I.E.
Rai Kailash Chandra Basu Bahadur, C.I.E.
Babu Kali Nath Mitra, C.I.E
Rai Bahadur Sir Pratul Chandra Chatterji, Kt., C.I.E.
The Honb'le Mr. Justice Herbert William Cameron Carnduff, C.I.E.
Colonel John Hodding, C.I.E., V.D.
Douglas Donald, Esq., C.I.E.
Sir William Dickson Cruickshank, Kt., C.I.E.
Charles Henry West, Esq., C.I.E.
George Huddleston, Esq., C.I.E.
Lieutenant-Colonel Havelock Hudson, C.I.E.
Major Arthur D'Arcy Gordon Bannerman, C.I.E.
Claude Hamilton Archer Hill, Esq., C.I.E.
Edward Henry Scamander Clarke, Esq., C.I.E.
Stephen Finney, Esq., C.I.E.
Major William Frederick Travers O'Connor, C.I.E.
Major Robert Bird, C.I.E., M.D., I.M.S.
Hugh William Orange, Esq., C.I.E.
The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur Pandit Sundar Lal, C.I.E.
Frederick Palmer, Esq., C.I.E.
Surgeon-Lieutenant-Colonel Warren Roland Crooke-Lawless, C.I.E., M.D.
Colonel William Riddell Birdwood, C.I.E., A.D.C.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Orders of the Star of India and the Indian Empire.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 15th February 1909.

No. 455-*Est.*—Mr. C. H. A. Hill, C.I.E., Agent to the Governor of Bombay in Kathiawar, was employed on special duty under the Government of India in the Foreign Department, for the period from the 29th January to the 8th February 1909, both days inclusive.

The 17th February 1909.

No. 482-*Est.*—Major K. D. Erskine, C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 2nd class, is posted as Resident in the Western States of Rajputana, retaining charge of the Bikaner Agency in addition, with effect from the 20th January 1909.

The 18th February 1909.

No. 514-*Est.*—The services of Mr. C. C. Watson, a Political Assistant of the 1st class, are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay, with effect from the date of his return from furlough.

The 19th February 1909.

No. 526-*Est.*—Mr. F. P. Rennie, a Political Agent of the 3rd class, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 10 days, combined with furlough on medical certificate for 7 months and 20 days, under the provisions of Articles 233 and 311 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th December 1908.

(Notification No. 829-Est., dated 24th December 1908, is hereby cancelled.)

No. 530-*Est.*—Captain M. F. White, Indian Medical Service, Mobile Assistant to the Chief Quarantine Officer in the Persian Gulf, held charge of the current duties of the office of Residency Surgeon in the Persian Gulf in addition to his own duties, for the period from the 10th August to the 24th November 1908, both days inclusive.

(Notification No. 2191-G., dated the 21st August 1908, is hereby cancelled).

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

Calcutta, the 19th February 1909.

No. 969-A.— *Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

January 1909. Lakhs of Rupees.

	JAN.		TO END OF JAN.		WHOLE YEAR.	
	1908-1909.	1907-1908.	1908-1909.	1907-1908.	Budget, 1908-1909.	Actuals, Preliminary 1907-1908.
Civil Revenue.						
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to irrigation)	5,20	4,31	18,44	17,66	31,55	29,86
Opium	53	61	7,84	6,54	7,26	7,87
Salt	37	42	3,89	4,11	5,10	5,00
Stamps	53	56	5,19	5,13	6,54	6,20
Excise	84	81	7,74	7,55	9,58	9,10
Provincial Rates	13	60	63	2,45	80	3,60
Customs	62	71	5,92	5,97	7,50	7,51
Assessed Taxes	21	21	1,80	1,76	2,13	2,10
Forest	28	22	1,70	1,75	2,77	2,36
Registration	5	5	53	51	65	62
Tributes from Native States	25	22	60	56	93	87
Other Civil Revenue	42	37	2,86	3,95	4,41	5,20
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT: GROSS	9,43	9,09	57,19	57,74	79,22	80,49
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	—93	—90	—3,99	—3,90	—4,35	—4,48
Opium	—4	—4	—1,82	—2,40	—2,23	—2,49
Famine Relief	...	—5	—90	—10	—61	—38
Other Civil Expenditure	—2,83	—3,17	—28,28	—28,42	—36,75	—36,82
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT: GROSS	—3,80	—4,16	—34 99	—34,82	—43,94	—44.14
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments:						
[The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.]						
Post Office (Net: + Receipts more, — Receipts less than issues)	+8	+16	+6	+78	+62	+76
Marine	—4	—4	—31	—31	—34	—37
Military Receipts	+6	+8	+90	+61	+91	+82
Military Issues	—1,84	—1,85	—17,28	—16,50	—21,18	—20,40
Public Works Department—						
Receipts.						
Ordinary Branches	+57	+77	+3,69	+3,43	+5,28	+4,41
State Railways	+3,38	+3,47	+28,02	+29,12	+46,77	+35,58
East Indian Railway	+59	+64	+5,64	+5,83		+7,06
Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Net as above)	...	...	...	+53	...	+55
Telegraph	+5	+10	+50	+81	+1,01	+99
TOTAL	+4,59	+4,98	+37,85	+39,72	+53,06	+48,59
Issues.						
Ordinary Branches	—1,04	—1,25	—10,37	—10,15	—14,48	—14,12
State Railways	—1,96	—2,26	—21,44	—19,62	—26,81	—24.88
East Indian Railway	—31	—34	—3,28	—3,28		—3,75
Repayment of Guaranteed Railways surplus profits, etc.	...	...	...	—1	...	—1
Telegraph	—12	—10	—1,03	—1,00	—1,26	—1,25
TOTAL	—3,43	—3,95	—36,12	—34,06	—42,55	—43,99
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	—58	—62	—14,90	—9,76	—9,48	—14,59
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net: + Receipts more,—Receipts less than payments)	...	—12	+1,82	+2,37	+2,87	+2,37
Mint Certificates and bullion Advances (Net as above)	—8	—3	+1	+2,14	...	+1,42
Currency Transfers for Gold in England	...	...	—3,31	...	—2,25	—3,00
Currency Transfers for Silver in transit	...	...	...	...	...	+0,93
Sale of Demand Drafts on London	...	...	—10	...	...	...
Exchange and Remittance Accounts	...	—3	...	+13	...	+10
Temporary Advance from Gold Standard Reserve	+2,25	...	+3,75	...	...	...
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at ₹15 per £	—5,78	—2,69	—13,53	—20,30	—26,98	—22,83
Other debt heads (Net as above)	+51	+36	—3,94	+45	—10	—2,36
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	—3,10	—2,51	—15 30	15,21	—26,46	—17,97
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	+1,95	+1,80	—8,00	—1,85	—.6	+3,79
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	9,33	11,84	19,28	15,49	18,96	15,49
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	11,28	13,64	11,28	13,64	18,30	19,28

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 17th February 1909.

No. 912-*F. O. and A.*—Mr. K. L. Datta, Comptroller, Post Office, is placed on special duty under the Finance Department, with effect from the 5th of February 1909.

Mr. W. Chard, Assistant Director General of the Post Office of India, is placed on special duty under the Finance Department, with effect from the 4th of February 1909.

No. 913-*F. O. and A.*—Mr. Jagat Prasad is appointed to officiate as Comptroller, Post Office, with effect from the 5th of February 1909, or until further orders.

J. S. MESTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

Calcutta, the 15th February 1909.

No. 1339-1.—Mr. A. R. Bennett is appointed a Probationer in the Imperial Customs Service, with effect from the 11th February 1909; and is posted to Bengal.

CUSTOMS.

The 17th February 1909.

No. 1451-29.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 19 of the Sea Customs Act, 1878 (VIII of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to prohibit until the 1st January 1910 the export by sea of Malwa opium from the port of Bombay, such prohibition to have effect only from the date on which the Collector of Customs, Bombay, may notify that the limit of 13,600 chests of such opium fixed for export during the calendar year 1909 has been reached.

POST OFFICE—LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

The 17th February 1909.

No. 1466—24.—Mr. A. B. Thompson, Superintendent, Railway Mail Service, 2nd grade, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Director General of the Post Office of India in the grade of R800, with effect from the afternoon of the 3rd February 1909, *vice* Mr. W. Chard on special duty.

EXPLOSIVES.

The 15th February 1909.

No. 1348—37.—In accordance with the provisions of section 18 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), and of the Notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 1964, dated the 2nd September 1887, the Governor General in Council is pleased to publish for general information the following amendments which His Excellency in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the said Act, proposes to make in the rules to regulate the transport and importation of explosives, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4555—4 (Explosives), dated the 31st May 1907.

The draft will be taken into consideration by the Governor General in Council on the expiration of two months from the date of publication of this Notification in the *Gazette of India* :—

Draft Amendments.

(1) In rule 13-IX for the words "signed by an officer authorized by the Local Government in this behalf" the words "signed by the Chief Inspector of Explosives or an Inspector of Explosives" shall be substituted.

(2) In rule 13-XI, for the words "15th October" in the second and fifth lines the words "1st July" and "30th June" respectively shall be substituted.

(3) In the second paragraph of rule 25, for the words "15th October" in the second and fourth lines, the words "1st July" and "30th June" respectively shall be substituted.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 19th February 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 155.—Mr. C. Hodgen, Registrar, Army Department, is placed on special duty in the Army Department, for a period of 2 months, with effect from the 1st February 1909.

No. 156.—Mr. P. Bonarjee, a Superintendent in the Army Department, is appointed to officiate as Registrar, Army Department, with effect from the 1st February 1909 during the deputation of Mr. C. Hodgen.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 157.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Army, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenants—

Hubert Lee Holmes, Royal Garrison Artillery, Double Company Officer, 75th Carnatic Infantry,—21st January 1909.

Claude Newington, 1st Battalion, the Northamptonshire Regiment, Double Company Officer, 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.—22nd October 1908.

Kenelm Rees McCloughin, Royal Garrison Artillery, officiating Double Company Officer, 14th Prince of Wales's Own Ferozepore Sikhs,—13th November 1908.

Hubert Winthrop Young, Royal Garrison Artillery, Double Company Officer, 116th Mahrattas,—24th December 1908.

No. 158.—The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Indian Army in the rank of Second Lieutenant, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant—

Leonard Castel Campbell Rogers, 1st Battalion, The Bedfordshire Regiment, Double Company Officer, 1st Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles,—28th December 1908.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 159.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

1st February 1909.

Walter Edward Banbury, Commandant, 33rd Punjabis.

14th February 1909.

Charles Edward Baynes, 32nd Lancers.

Captains to be Majors.

13th February 1909.

Donald Hugh McNeile, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Arthur Noel Davidson, 67th Punjabis.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

14th February 1909.

Frederick Allan Maclean, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.
Charles David Webster, 30th Punjabis.
James Simpson, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Hugh Middleton Davidson, 36th Jacob's Horse.
George Herbert Young, 38th Dogras.
Gerard Byrom Corrie Irvine, 9th Bhopal Infantry.
George Lambert Farran, 4th Cavalry.
Robert Thelwall Gwilym Salusbury, 26th Punjabis.

17th February 1909.

Francis Edward William Baldwin, 121st Pioneers.
Reginald Henry Sedgwick Whitchurch, 96th Berar Infantry.
Thomas Ernest Hulbert, 3rd Skinner's Horse.
Charles Richard Foster Seymour, 13th Rajputs (The Shekhawati Regiment).
Alfred Cecil Norman, 5th Cavalry.

19th February 1909.

James Charles Philips, 28th Punjabis.

No. 160.—The promotions of the undermentioned officers to the rank of Lieutenant are antedated to the dates specified :—

Lieutenants—

Hubert Lee Holmes, 75th Carnatic Infantry,—23rd October 1903.
Claude Newington, 10th Gurkha Rifles,—4th October 1905.
Kenelm Rees McCloughin, 14th Prince of Wales's Own Ferozepore Sikhs,—23rd March 1906.
Hubert Winthrop Young, 116th Mahrattas,—21st March 1907.

No. 161.—The undermentioned officer is promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in the Indian Army, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Second-Lieutenant—

Leonard Castel Campbell Rogers, 7th Gurkha Rifles, 29th November 1908.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Northern Circle.

No. 162.—Sub-Conductor Thomas Henry Wensley (since deceased) to be Conductor; Store-Sergeant Walter William Aydon, to be Sub-Conductor ; *vice* Conductor George William McKay transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 2nd November 1908.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

12th Mule Corps.

No. 163.—Quarter Master Dafadar Amir Khan, appointed Jemadar on probation, is confirmed in that rank ; with effect from 27th October 1907.

No. 164.—The following promotions are made :—

22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Ressaidar Sant Singh to be Risaldar and Jemadar Dhuman Khan to be Ressaidar, *vice* Fakir Muhammad Khan, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 24th November 1908.

Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Cavalry) (Lumsden's).

Subadar Khawaja Muhammad Khan, transferred from the 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis) to be Ressaidar, *vice* Ajun Khan, dismissed the service; with effect from the 1st August 1908.

24th Punjabis.

Havildar Jawand Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Ganda Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

44th Merwara Infantry.

Havildar Badda to be Jemadar, *vice* Shera (1), transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

1st Battalion, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Chamu Thapa to be Subadar and Havildar Amar Sing Rana to be Jemadar, *vice* Lila Dhar Thapa, Bahadur, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

2nd Battalion, 7th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Birdhoj Limbu to be Jemadar, *vice* Dhanraj Khattri, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

PENSIONS.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

No. 165.—Conductor Robert Stone, Ordnance Department, Southern Circle, has been transferred to the pension establishment.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 166.—The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel Arthur Harry Clark-Kennedy, 27th March 1909.

Major Arthur Edwin Stewart Hartigan, 35th Scinde Horse,—11th March 1909.

Major Cecil Howard Williams, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry),—19th January 1909.

Major Carew Barnett, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry),—17th March 1909.

No. 167.—Commissary and Honorary Captain Alfred W. Hocking, Ordnance Department, Northern Circle, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 29th December 1908.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS.

Punjab Light Horse.

No. 168.—Francis Blagrave Russell Spencer, to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st January 1909.

George Henry Burman Matthews, to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st January 1909.

Allahabad Volunteer Rifles.

No. 169.—James Park to be Captain, *vice* Hocking resigned. Dated 13th December 1908.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 170.—Edward Barnard Harris to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st November 1908.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 19th February 1909.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Army Department between the 10th and 16th February 1909:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Remarks.
Indian Medical Service.	Major Walter Hood Orr, C. I. E.	28th January 1909.	Bahraich	...	...
British Service	Colonel George Frederick Campbell Mackenzie, C. B.	6th February 1909.	England	...	...
Royal Engineers	Lieutenant Aulay Ferguson Macaulay	11th February 1909.	Near Serozai (Samana).	...	...

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.

Fort William, the 19th February 1909.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 10.—The undermentioned 3rd class Hospital Assistants, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Hospital Assistants, with effect from the dates noted against their names:—

No. 1059, Nazir Khan (E),—1st May 1907.
No. 1104, Mathura-das (E),—1st May 1908.
No. 1115, Ishar Singh (E),—1st October 1908.
No. 1105, Karta Ram (E),—19th October 1908.
No. 1110, Hakim Singh (E),—19th October 1908.

(E) Passed in English.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 5.—Engineer C. B. Wilson, Royal Indian Marine, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 8th January 1909.

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 16th February 1909.

No. 50.—Mr. L. C. D. Bean, Officiating Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Senior Deputy Traffic Superintendent of that railway, with effect from the 19th January 1909.

No. 51.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 50, dated the 16th February 1909, Mr. A. B. Prussia, Officiating Deputy Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of District Traffic Superintendent in class II, grade 1, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 19th January 1909.

No. 52.—The Hon'ble E. H. S. Napier, Superintending Engineer, State Railways (on leave), is permitted to retire from the service of Government under Article 465 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 7th February 1909.

The 17th February 1909.

No. 53.—The following permanent promotions among Executive and Assistant Engineers are ordered with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	Date.
Ashworth, Major P., R.E.	Executive Engineer, 2nd grade.	Executive Engineer, 1st grade.	August 22nd, 1908.
Muter, Captain, R. S., R.E.	Executive Engineer, 2nd grade, supy.	Executive Engineer, 1st grade, supy.	September 1st, 1908.
Eustace, Captain F. R. H., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.	Executive Engineer, 3rd grade.	October 11th, 1908.
Burn, Lieutenant R. N., R.E.	Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade.	Assistant Engineer, 1st grade.	December 17th, 1908.

The 18th February 1909.

No. 54.—Notification No. 30, dated the 23rd January 1909, appointing Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. Rose, R.E., Officiating Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, is hereby cancelled.

No. 55.—With reference to Notification No. 380, dated the 23rd December 1908, Mr. C. Pratt, Officiating Deputy Engineer-in-Chief, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is appointed to officiate as Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta.

No. 56.—With reference to Notification No. 55, dated the 18th February 1909, Rai Bahadur Rala Ram, Executive Engineer, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Engineer-in-Chief of that line, until further orders, with the rank of Officiating Superintending Engineer, 3rd class.

The 19th February 1909.

No. 57.—Mr. H. Cooper, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, (on leave), in class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is, at his own request, permitted to resign the service of Government.

No. 58.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 293, dated the 9th October 1908, Mr. J. H. D'Silva, Officiating Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, reverted to his substantive appointment of Traffic Inspector, with effect from the 19th January 1909.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

No. 780.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 27 of the Indian Arms Act XI of 1878, the Governor General in Council directs that the following additions shall be made to clause (3) of paragraph I of the Home Department notification no. 518, dated the 6th March 1879, as amended by subsequent notifications :—

"Provided that a native soldier, while absent from his regiment on leave, shall be exempt only in respect of such arms and ammunition as may be covered by a pass granted to him by his Commanding Officer."

"*Explanation.*—The term 'soldiers' as used in this clause does not include 'reservists'."

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 29th February 1909.

No. 260.—Mr. A. W. Davis is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the date on which he may sail from India or relinquish charge of office in the event of his not taking subsidiary leave.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 26th February 1909.

No. 68.—THE following list shows the names of the selected candidates and the marks obtained by them in each subject in the recent examination for clerkships in the lower division of the Secretariat offices of the Government of India and the departments directly attached thereto and in the offices subordinate to the Government of Bengal :—

No.	Names of candidates in order of merit.	Date of birth.	Date on which the candidate will attain the age of 25 years.	English composition (essay writing and drafting).	Précis-writing.	History (English and Indian).	Geography.	Elementary mathematics.	Short-hand writing (optional).	Total.	Government under which the candidate is eligible for appointment.	Office in which the candidate elects to serve.
				100	100	50	50	50	75	425		
1	Ashu Tosh Ghosh	16th Jan. 1887.	16th Jan. 1912.	75	75	41	17	42	70	320	Government of India.	Any Secretariat office.
2	Bishan Das, G. S.	7th April 1886.	7th April 1911.	65	45	43	31	16	64	264	Do.	.....
3	Suresh Chandra Gupta.	9th Mar. 1887.	9th Mar. 1912.	59	27	44	30	38	57	255	Do.	.....
4	Raj Bahadur	25th July 1887.	25th July 1912.	50	51	31	30	32	27	221	Do.	Department of Commerce and Industry or any other Secretariat office.
5	Binod Lall Sarkar	8th Augt. 1886.	8th Augt. 1911.	63	25	37	...	19	62	206	Government of Bengal.	Any Secretariat Office.
6	Bejay Panchanan Ghose.	18th Octr. 1885.	18th Octr. 1910.	49	26	49	39	39	...	202	Do.	Do.
7	Akshoy Kumar Das	13th May 1887.	13th May 1912.	40	29	30	11	27	54	191	Do.	Do.
8	Charu Chandra Mitra	15th Jan. 1888.	15th Jan. 1913.	58	28	41	32	32	...	191	Do.	Do.
9	Surendra Nath Bhattacharyya.	29th Mar. 1886.	29th Mar. 1911.	63	30	26	27	31	...	177	Do.	Do.

MEDICAL.

The 24th February 1909.

No. 199.—The services of Captain W. E. McKechnie, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces.

The 26th February 1909.

No. 220.—The services of Captain H. A. Dongan, I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

No. 221.—The Home Department notification no. 99, dated the 27th January 1909, placing the services of Captain G. J. G. Young, I.M.S., temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Madras is hereby cancelled.

PORT BLAIR.

The 23rd February 1909.

No. 202.—Muhammad Ashik Ali Khan, Khan Bahadur, 3rd Assistant Superintendent, Port Blair, is granted an extension of furlough for one year in continuation of the furlough granted to him in the Home Department notification no. 235 (Port Blair), dated the 10th April 1908.

JUDICIAL.

The 19th February 1909.

No. 279.—The Honourable the Chief Justice has granted Mr. A. P. Muddiman, of the Indian Civil Service, Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, combined leave for a period of six months, *viz.*, privilege leave for two months and twenty-two days and furlough for the remainder of the period, with effect from the 17th March 1909, or any subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

No. 281.—His Majesty the King-Emperor has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Mr. Lal Mohan Das, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to be a Judge of that Court with effect from the 9th January 1909, *vice* the Honourable Mr. Justice Mitra resigned.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 25th February 1909.

No. 80.—The Reverend Harold Gaythorne Crabtree has been appointed a chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lahore) ecclesiastical establishment to fill an existing vacancy.

BOOKS.

The 26th February 1909.

No. 654.—THE following Order of His Majesty in Council, published in the *London Gazette* of the 22nd December 1908, is republished for general information:—

At the Court at *Buckingham Palace*, the 21st day of *December* 1908.

PRESENT.

The KING'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS on the ninth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, a Convention (hereinafter called the Berne Convention) with respect to the protection to be given by way of copyright to the authors of literary and artistic works was concluded between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and the foreign countries following, that is to say:—Belgium, Hayti, Switzerland, France, Italy, Germany, Spain, and Tunis:

And whereas on the fifth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, the ratifications of the said Convention were duly exchanged between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and the aforesaid countries:

And whereas by an Order in Council, dated the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and made under the authority committed to Her late Majesty Queen Victoria by the International Copyright Acts, 1844 to 1886, Her Majesty was pleased to make provision for giving rights of copyright throughout Her Majesty's dominions to the authors of literary and artistic works first produced in any of the said foreign countries (therein referred to as the foreign countries of the Copyright Union) and otherwise giving effect throughout Her Majesty's dominions to the terms of the said

Berne Convention, and an English translation of the said Convention was set out in the First Schedule to the said Order in Council :

And whereas since the date of the said Order in Council the foreign countries following, namely :—Luxemburg, Monaco, Montenegro, Norway and Sweden have acceded to the said Berne Convention, and by Orders in Council dated respectively the tenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-eight, the fifteenth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, the sixteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, the first day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-six, and the twelfth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and four, and made under the authority aforesaid, the provisions of the said Order in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven have been extended to the last-mentioned foreign countries respectively :

And whereas an Additional Act to the said Berne Convention was agreed upon between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and the following foreign countries for the purpose of varying the provisions of the said Berne Convention, namely :—Germany, Italy, Switzerland, Belgium, Luxemburg, Spain, Monaco, Tunis, France, and Montenegro, and the ratifications of the said Additional Act were, on the ninth day of September, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, exchanged between Her late Majesty Queen Victoria and the said foreign countries :

And whereas by an Order in Council, dated the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, and made under the authority aforesaid, Her late Majesty Queen Victoria was pleased to make provision for varying the hereinbefore recited Order in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and otherwise giving effect to the said Additional Act throughout Her Majesty's dominions so far as regards the foreign countries hereinbefore named as parties to the said Additional Act, and an English translation of the said Additional Act is set forth in the Schedule to the Order in Council now in recital :

And whereas the Republic of Hayti having duly acceded to the said Additional Act, the said Order in Council of the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, was, by Order in Council of the nineteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, extended to the said Republic :

And whereas the Empire of Japan and the Kingdom of Denmark and the Faroe Islands, having duly acceded to the said Berne Convention and the said Additional Act, the said Orders in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, were, by Orders in Council dated respectively the eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and the ninth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and three, extended to the said Empire of Japan and to the said Kingdom of Denmark and the Faroe Islands :

And whereas the Principality of Montenegro having duly denounced the said Berne Convention, the said Order in Council of the sixteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three was revoked by an Order in Council of the eight day of August, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and the provisions of the said Orders in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, have ceased to apply to the said Principality of Montenegro :

And whereas the foreign countries following, namely :—Luxemburg, Monaco, Norway, Japan, Denmark, and the Faroe Islands, and Sweden, together with the foreign countries comprised in the said Order in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, now constitute the foreign countries of the Copyright Union within the meaning of the said Order in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven :

And whereas it has been intimated to His Majesty's Government that the Government of Liberia have notified the accession of that country to the said

Berne Convention, and the said Additional Act, such accession to take effect from the sixteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eight:

And whereas His Majesty in Council is satisfied that the said Government of Liberia has made such provisions as it appears to His Majesty expedient to require for the protection of authors' works first produced in His Majesty's dominions:

Now, therefore, His Majesty, by and with the advice of His Privy Council, and by virtue of the authority committed to His Majesty by the International Copyright Acts, 1844 to 1886, doth order, and it is hereby ordered as follows:—

1. From and after the commencement of this Order the hereinbefore recited Orders in Council of the twenty-eighth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven, and the seventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, shall extend to the Republic of Liberia.
2. This Order shall come into operation as from the sixteenth day of October, one thousand nine hundred and eight, which date is hereinbefore referred to as the commencement of this Order.
3. And the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury are to give the necessary Orders herein accordingly.

A. W. FITZROY.

POLITICAL.

The 26th February 1909.

No. 313.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is of opinion that the associations described in the Schedule hereto annexed constitute a danger to the public peace:

In exercise of the power conferred by Section 16 of the Indian Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1908, the Governor General in Council hereby declares the said associations to be unlawful.

SCHEDULE.

Name.	Description.
Yubak Sammilan . . .	An association whose headquarters are at Calcutta.
Brati Samiti	An association whose headquarters are at Kurmira, in the Sathkhira Sub-Division of the Khulna District.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 25th February 1909.

No. 577-*Est.*—Major B. E. M. Gurdon, C.I.E., D.S.O., a Political Agent of the 3rd Class, is posted as Political Agent in the Southern States of Rajputana, with effect from the 5th February 1909.

No. 580-*Est.*—The services of Captain H. C. D. Jarrett, 19th Punjabis, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General in the North-West Frontier Province, for employment with Frontier Militia.

No. 582-*Est.*—Lieutenant D. R. G. Oliver, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, is granted privilege leave for two months and 23 days with effect from the 3rd February 1909.

No. 583-*Est.*—Lieutenant D. M. Field, a Political Assistant of the 3rd Class, is posted temporarily as Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir for Leh, with effect from the 3rd February 1909.

No. 587-*Est.*—Lieutenant-Colonel C. A. Kemball, C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is posted, on return from furlough, as Political Agent in Loralai, with effect from the 5th February 1909.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 26th February 1909.

No. 1092-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. O. A. Travers, Assistant Accountant-General, Burma, is granted privilege leave for two months with effect from the 1st of February 1909.

Mr. C. S. Venkataraman is posted as Assistant Accountant General, Burma, with effect from the 1st of February 1909.

Mr. Pulin Behary Dass, Probationer attached to the office of the Accountant General, Bengal, is transferred to the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General.

Mr. C. O. Slacke is posted temporarily as additional Deputy Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 3rd of February 1909.

No. 1098-*F.O. & A.*—Mr. W. H. E. Mellor is posted as Deputy Accountant General, United Provinces, with effect from the 21st of December 1908.

J. S. MESTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 23rd February 1909.

No. 324-*Accts.*—Mr. J. Delaney, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, Military Accounts Department, is granted leave on medical certificate for two months, under Article 336, Civil Service Regulations, from the 4th January 1909.

PENSIONS.

The 26th February 1909.

No. 354-*Accts.*—Mr. E. O'Brien Smith, Military Assistant Accountant-General, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

R. A. MANT,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

Calcutta, the 22nd February 1909.

No. 1557-3.—The following officiating promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified with effect from the dates specified :—

Name.	From	To	With effect from
Mr. A. Wolferstan	Assistant Collector, Class II, sub. *pro tem.*	Assistant Collector, Class I, Officiating.	1st January 1909.
Mr. A. E. Boyd	Assistant Collector, Class III, sub. *pro tem.*	Assistant Collector, Class II, Officiating.	1st January 1909.
Mr. C. R. Watkins	Assistant Collector, Class V.	Assistant Collector, Class IV, Officiating.	5th January 1909.

POST OFFICE.

The 24th February 1909.

No. 1619-44.—Mr. P. G. Rogers, I.C.S., is placed on special duty under the Director-General of the Post Office of India, with effect from the forenoon of the 15th February 1909.

No. 1633-55.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Post Office Act, 1898 (VI of 1898), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that, with effect from the 1st April 1909, the following amendments shall be made in the rules published in the Notification of the Government of India in this Department No. 7397—225, dated the 5th August 1908, as subsequently amended :—

For rules 97, 98, 124, and 125 substitute the following :—

97. The amount for which a single telegraphic money order may be issued shall not exceed R600, and shall not include any sum less than a rupee.

98. The following fees (which include the cost of the telegram) shall be charged for the issue of telegraphic money orders :—

(*a*) *For sums not exceeding R25*—

	R	a.	p.	
For the first R10	1	2	0	If advice sent "Express".
	0	10	0	If advice sent "Ordinary".

	R	a.	p.
For the balance—			
If it does not exceed R5	0	1	0
If it exceeds R5	0	2	0

(*b*) *For sums exceeding R25 up to R600*—

	R	a.	p.	
For the first R25	1	4	0	If advice sent "Express".
	0	12	0	If advice sent "Ordinary".
For each complete sum of R25 additional	0	4	0	
For sums less than R25 additional—				
If the sum does not exceed R5	0	1	0	
" " " " " R10	0	2	0	
" " " " " R15	0	3	0	
If the sum exceeds R15	0	4	0	

124. The amount for which a single Indo-Ceylon telegraphic money order may be issued in India shall not exceed R600, and shall not include any sum less than a rupee.

125. The following fees (including the cost of the telegram) shall be charged on Indo-Ceylon telegraphic money orders issued in India, namely :—

(*a*) *For sums not exceeding R25*—

	R	a.	p.
For the first R10	1	6	0
For the balance . if it does not exceed R5	0	1	0
if it exceeds R5	0	2	0

(*b*) *For sums exceeding R25 up to R600*—

	R	a.	p.
For the first R25	1	8	0
For each complete sum of R25 additional	0	4	0
For sums less than R25 additional—			
If the sum does not exceeds R5	0	1	0
" " " " " R10	0	2	0
" " " " " R15	0	3	0
If the sum exceeds R15	0	4	0

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 26th February 1909.

FIELD OPERATIONS.

No. 171.—The following appointments were added to the Staff of the Mohmand Field Force, in addition to those published in Army Department Notifications Nos. 316 and 414 of 1908 :—

Attached to Field Force Staff.

Assistant Commanding Royal Engineer.—Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Dundee, C.I.E., R.E.

Field Treasure Chest Officer and Provost Marshal.- Captain F. FitzH. Lance, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

Divisional Troops Supply and Transport Officer.—Lieutenant H. O. B. Wood, Supply and Transport Corps.

Assistant Signalling Officers (for Line of Communications).—Lieutenant F. Curtis, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse) and Lieutenant T. S. Paterson, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

Survey Officers.—Captain E. T. Rich, R.E., and Lieutenant E. C. Baker, R.E.

Extra Aide-de-Camp to General Officer Commanding Field Force.—Subadar Khwaja Muhammad Khan, 20th (Duke of Cambridge's Own) Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).

Attached to 1st Brigade Staff.

Provost Marshal.—Captain H. N. Holden, 5th Cavalry.

Brigade Signalling Officer.—Lieutenant W. Gibson, 1st Battalion, The Northumberland Fusiliers.

Attached to 2nd Brigade Staff.

Provost Marshal.—Captain H. T. Maffett, 2nd Battalion, The Prince of Wales's Leinster Regiment (Royal Canadians).

Brigade Signalling Officer.—Captain C. B. Chamley, 1st Battalion, Seaforth Highlanders (Ross-Shire Buffs, The Duke of Albany's).

Attached to 3rd Brigade Staff.

Brigade Signalling Officer.—Lieutenant H. C. H. O'Brien, 1st Battalion, The Royal Munster Fusiliers.

Line of Communications Staff.

Chief Supply Officer.—Major G. L. Sanders, Supply and Transport Corps.

Chief Transport Officer.—Major A. P. Shewell, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

Section Commandant.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. G. Strange, R.F.A.

Field Engineer.—Major W. Ewbank, R.E.

Post Commandant, Galanai.—Brevet-Colonel G. J. Younghusband, C.B., Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Lumsden's).

Post Commandant, Dand.—Brevet-Colonel P. M. Carpendale, 21st Punjabis.

Post Staff Officer, Galanai.—Lieutenant R. G. A. Trail, Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Lumsden's).

Post Staff Officer, Dand.—Captain H. J. Doveton, 21st Punjabis.

Base Staff.

Senior Medical Officer.—Lieutenant-Colonel F. P. Nichols, M.B., R.A.M.C.

Officer Commanding British Military Base Depôt.—Captain W. C. R. Farmar, R.A.

Officer Commanding Native Military Base Depôt.—Captain C. J. White, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Base Supply Officer.—Major E. G. Vaughan, Supply and Transport Corps.

Base Transport Officer.—Major J. S. Swan, Supply and Transport Corps.

Railway Staff Officer.—Captain H. J. P. Browne, 5th Gurkha Rifles.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 172.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

"London Gazette," dated 26th January 1909, pages 661 and 663.

War Office, Whitehall,
26th January 1909.

MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned Lieutenant-Colonels to be Brevet Colonels :—

Henry G. Sutton, Indian Army. Dated 6th February, 1908.

"London Gazette," dated 2nd February 1909, pages 829, 831, 834, 835 and 836.

War Office, Whitehall,
2nd February 1909.

UNATTACHED LIST FOR INDIAN ARMY.

Second-Lieutenant Francis John Deighton, from Unattached List Territorial Force (University Candidate), to be Second-Lieutenant with a view to his appointment to the Indian Army. Dated 22nd February, 1908, with precedence next below A. A. F. C. H. Dawson, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 3rd February 1909.

India Office,
February 2, 1909.

The King has approved of the following promotions among officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, and Indian Army Departments, and admissions to the Indian Army :—

INDIAN ARMY.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Dated 14th October, 1908.

Thomas Webster, Commandant, 48th Pioneers.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 1st November 1908.

John Halket Crawford, 32nd Lancers.

Dated 8th November 1908.

Robert Edward Archibald Hamilton, Political Employ.

Dated 29th November 1908.

Seignelay Gustavus Willoughby Hume, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
John Grahame Edwardes, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Herbert Andrews Newell, Supply and Transport Corps.
Frank Douglas Browne, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).
Patrick Charles Robertson Barclay, 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Arthur Seymour Hollond Teed, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.
George Benedict Molyneux Sarel, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Alexander Henry Gouger Thomson, 30th Punjabis.
Edwin Harold McBride Fenn, 112th Infantry.
Arthur Gosset Crawford, 84th Punjabis.
Ernest Francis Knox, 36th Sikhs.
John Cecil Cortlandt Angelo, Civil Employ, Punjab.
Norman Sinclair Coghill, Supernumerary List.
Archibald Ythen Cheyne, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).
Philip Norman Leslie, 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse) (provisionally).

Dated 3rd December 1908.

Alick Le Fleming Smith, 2nd Queen's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 15th November 1908.

Charles Walter Butler, 114th Mahrattas.
Craig Nelson, 3rd Brahmans.

Dated 20th November 1908.

William Stuart Smith, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Dated 22nd November 1908.

Evelyn St. Clair Gray, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

Dated 29th November 1908.

Denis Daly Wilson, 17th Cavalry.

Dated 6th December 1908.

Walter Greatwood, 123rd Outram's Rifles.
Leonard Arthur Bethell, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Arthur Gaussen Murray, 1st Brahmans.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Henry Victor Reynolds, 82nd Punjabis, from the Duke of Wellington's. (West Riding) Regiment. Dated 26th September 1908, but to rank from 22nd July 1905.

Lieutenant John Cecil Hamilton Holliday, 122nd Rajputana Infantary, from the Royal Field Artillery. Dated 22nd September 1908, but to rank from 15th October 1905.

Lieutenant Frank Alan Macartney, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force), from the Royal Warwickshire Regiment. Dated 20th September 1908, but to rank from 10th January 1906.

Lieutenant Graham Eardley Dunsterville, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse) from the Devonshire Regiment. Dated 19th September 1908, but to rank from 4th September 1906.

Lieutenant Cyril Dupre Noyes, 2nd Queen's Own Rajput Light Infontry, from the Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 23rd September 1908, but to rank from 21st March 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Alexander Clairmonte Anderson, 6th Jat Light Infantry, from the Royal Sussex Regiment. Dated 23rd September 1908, but to rank from 28th April 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Ernest Herbert Stuart Chapman, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers, from the Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment). Dated 28th September 1908, but to rank from 16th November 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Brereton Rowland Hudson, 8th Cavalry, from the 1st (Royal) Dragoons Dated 15th October 1908, but to rank from 16th December 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Arthur Edward Broadbent Parsons, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force) from the Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment). Dated 30th September 1908, but to rank from 4th July 1908.

Second-Lieutenant Tudor Ivor Griffiths Thomas, 9th Hodson's Horse, from the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding) Regiment. Dated 13th September 1908, but to rank from 23rd August 1908.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Dated 8th November 1908.

Elmes Pollock Henderson, 106th Hazara Pioneers.

Dated 29th November 1908.

Richard Crawhall Walton, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Eric Percy Ball, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry.
Thomas Ralph Wells, 33rd Punjabis.

Claude Ernest Torin Erskine, Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Lumsden's).
Edward John Patteson Travis Walker, 32nd Lancers.
Duncan Ian Bowen Lloyd, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
John Bertram Haines, 10th Jats.
Reinhold Meitzen Adams, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
John Huntley Muir, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Henry Williams Cumine Robson, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Dudley Macneil Evans, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Alexander Sebright Coffin, 28th Punjabis.
Alan George Dyce, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Victor John Alexander Connell, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).
Richard Dane, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Erontier Force) (Daly's Horse).
Harry Macdonald, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).
Rudolph Charles Eberhardie, 116th Mahrattas.
Charles Massy Thornhill, 24th Punjabis.
Erule James Corse-Scott, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).
Frank Oswald, 20th Deccan Horse.
Edmund Morland Skinner, 125th Napier's Rifles.
Alister Ralph Thomson, 7th Duk of Connaught's Own Rajputs.
Arthur Alexander Heyland, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Reginald Todd, 27th Punjabis.
John de la Hay Gordon, 67th Punjabis.
Colin Leslie-Smith, 22nd Punjabis.
Thomas Arthur Digby, 29th Punjabis.
Henry Temple Devereux Hickman, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Heremon James Drummond O'Neill, 127th Princess of Wales' Own Baluch Light Infantry.
Alexander Dumaresq Bennett, 19th Punjabis.
Walter Montagu Ommanney, 23rd Sikh Pioneers.
Charles Alfred Lucas, 113th Infantry.
Herbert Frederick Cecil McSwiney, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.
Gerald Haslam Cook, The 101st Grenadiers.
Robert Stuart Wahab, 128th Pioneers.
Lionel Gaisford, 58th Vaughan's Rifles (Frontier Force).
William Henry Miller, 74th Punjabis.
Walter Leslie Hailes, 6th Jat Light Infantry.
Wyndham George Strover, 5th Light Infantry.

To be Second-Lieutenants.

Second-Lieutenant Cradoc Trevor Davies Berrington, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multani's), from the Royal Field Artillery Dated 22nd September 1908, but to rank from 25th July 1906.

Second-Lieutenant Thomas Aubrey Kemble, 81st Pioneers, from the East Lancashire Regiment. Dated 26th September 1908, but to rank from 29th August 1906.

Second-Lieutenant Frederick Maxwell Carpendale, 36th Jacob's Horse, from The Connauget Rangers. Dated 24th September 1908, but to rank from 29th August 1906.

Second-Lieutenant Richard Henry Wilson, 82nd Punjabis, from the York and Lancaster Regiment. Dated 22nd September 1908, but to rank from 29th August 1906.

Second-Lieutenant John Meredith Randle Ford, 61st Prince foWales' Own Pioneers from the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding) Regiment. Dated 20th September 1908, but to rank from 7th November 1906.

Second-Lieutenant Maurice Hubert Bickford, 38th Dogras, from the King's (Shropshire Light Infantry). Dated 30th October 1908, but to rank from 21st November 1906.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Lieutenant to be Captain.

Dated 1st February 1908.

William Haywood Hamilton (provisionally).

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Senior Assistant Surgeons, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, to be Senior Assistant Surgeons, with the honorary rank of Captain.

Dated 24th June 1908.

James Francis Curran.

Dated 23rd September 1908.

Edwin Augustus Bedell.

Dated 2nd November 1908.

Arthur David Cotton.

First Class Assistant Surgeons to be Senior Assistant Surgeons, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Dated 24th June 1908.

Stephen Ansell Cartman.
Godfrey Francis de Silva.

Dated 1st August 1908.

Thomas Henry Bonnar.
Thomas Baldry.

Dated 23rd September 1908.

Christopher Alfred Farmer.
John Robertson.
William Daniel Neal.
Arthur John Archer.

Dated 2nd November 1908.

Edwin Sterling Baillie.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENT.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Dated 1st October 1908.

To be Commissary.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain George Tacchi.

To be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Walter Henry Skeaf.

To be Assistant Commissary, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Conductor Edward John Ryan.

MILITARY WORKS SERVICES.

Dated 23rd September 1908.

To be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Augustin Boyd.

To be Assistant Commissary, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Conductor John Scott.

The King has approved of the transfer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List of the following Officers of the Indian Army :—

Colonel Roderick William MacLeod, C. B. Dated 16th December 1908.

Lieutenant-Colonel John George Downing. Dated 27th November 1908.

The King has also approved of the transfer to the Temporary Half-pay List of the following Officer of the Indian Army :—

Lientenant Reinfred Tatton Arundell. Dated 27th October 1908.

The King has also approved of the retirement of the following Officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, and Indian Army Departments :—

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Colonel Alexander Masters, C.B. Dated 30th November 1908.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles George Nurse. Dated 23rd January 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Percy Poingdestre Leigh, C.I.E. Dated 4th January 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Irvine Wimberley. Dated 14th January 1909.

Major Cecil Howard Williams. Dated 19th January 1909.

Lieutenant Owen Owen. Dated 31st October 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Reginald William Threlfall Hogg. Dated 4th January 1909.

The notification concerning Lieutenant Owen cancels that contained in London Gazette of 4th August 1908.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Colonel Harry Beecham Briggs. Dated 1st January 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Monk. Dated 25th November 1908.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Henry Albert Randolph Blake. Dated 8th September 1908.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Bennet. Dated 8th September 1908.

The King has approved of the resignation of the following Officer of the Indian Army :—

Lieutenant Paul Robert Elmhirst Baxter. Dated 2nd November 1908.

The dates of retirement of Commissary and Honorary Captain Alfred Cheverton and Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain David Copus, Ordnance Department, are 29th September 1908, and 6th October 1908, respectively, and not as notified in London Gazette of 11th December 1908.

"London Gazette," dated 5th February 1909, pages 944 and 947.

War Office, Whitehall,
5th February 1909.

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UNATTACHED LIST FOR INDIAN ARMY.

The undermentioned Second-Lieutenants, from Unattached List Territorial Force (University Candidates), to be Second-Lieutenants, with a view to their appointment to the Indian Army :—

George Adrien Pim. Dated 22nd February 1907, with precedence next below G. B. Walker, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 6th February 1909.

Oswald Campbell Radford.

Kenrick Prescot Walker.

Dated 22nd February 1908, with precedence next below F. J. Deighton, but not to carry pay or allowances prior to 6th February 1909.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Brevet-Colonels, Indian Army, to be Colonels. Dated 1st December 1908 :—

Hamilton Bower, 17th Cavalry.

Colquhoun G. R. Thackwell, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps.

Herbert James, Supply and Transport Corps.
Herbert S. G. Hall, Supply and Transport Corps.

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PROMOTIONS.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 173.—The following promotions are made, *vice* Major W. F. C. Tayler, Indian Army, retired :—

Major T. C. Browning, provisional Cantonment Magistrate, to be Cantonment Magistrate, substantively ;

Major J. W. H. Lyon, substantive Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, to be Cantonment Magistrate, provisionally ;

Captain W. C. Anderson, provisional Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, to be Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, substantively :

Captain E. G. S. Trotter, officiating Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, to be Assistant Cantonment Magistrate, provisionally ;

with effect from the 6th February 1909.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 174.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Brevet-Colonels.

13th February 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Lumsdaine Lindesay, Commandant, 24th Punjabis.

21st February 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Henry Macintire Hitchins, 80th Carnatic Infantry.

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

1st January 1909.

Edward Charles Ryall, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

21st May 1908.

Alan Campbell Ross, 20th Deccan Horse.

20th February 1909.

Albert Harold Seagrim, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

21st February 1909.

Bryan Norman Abbay, 27th Light Cavalry.
Edward Herbert Lynch, 8th Gurkha Rifles.
Rivers Berney Worgan, 20th Deccan Horse.
Alexander FitzGerald Ramsay, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Lionel Phillips, 83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.
William George Stanhope Kenny, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Arthur Charles Drought Thorne, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

25th February 1909.

Cecil Beckham Harcourt, 28th Punjabis.

Second-Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

21st February 1909.

Maurice Herbert Bickford, 38th Dogras.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Southern Circle.

No. 175.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Walter Billing, supernumerary Chief Clerk, Office of Inspector General of Ordnance, Southern Circle, Poona, *seconded*, to be Commissary, *seconded*;

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain George Richard Hartley, to be Commissary;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant John Dempster, to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Albert Blackwood, Head Overseer, Stores, Cordite Factory, Aruvankadu, *seconded*, to be Assistant Commissary *on the effective list*, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

vice Commissary and Honorary Captain Alfred Cheverton, retired, with effect from the 29th September 1908.

No. 176.—Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Jacob Pike, Overseer, Ammunition Factory, Kirkee, *seconded*, to be Deputy Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Andrew William Underwood, to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Charles Howard, Head Overseer, Harness and Saddlery Workshops, Madras, *seconded*, to be Assistant Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Stephen O'Grady, to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Joseph Charlton, supernumerary to the establishment on return from field service in China, to be absorbed;

vice Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain David Copus, retired; with effect from the 6th October 1908.

No. 177.—Sub-Conductor Robert Belmont Turner to be Conductor;

Store Sergeant Alfred Thomas Falla to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor George Craig, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 5th October 1908.

No. 178.—Sub-Conductor Edward James Howe, Assistant Overseer, Gun and Shell Factory, Ishapore Branch, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor George James Patrick Hanlon, Overseer, Harness and Saddlery Factory, Cawnpore, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor Lewis White, to be Conductor;

Store Sergeant Alfred Michael Hinkley, to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor Geoffrey Leaff, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 9th October 1908.

No. 179.—Store Sergeant Benjamin Nettleton Walker to be Sub-Conductor; *vice* Sub-Conductor Charles Frederick John Hynes, appointed 2nd class clerk on probation, Office of the Inspector General of Ordnance, Southern Circle, and *seconded*; with effect from the 16th October 1908.

No. 180.—Sub-Conductor Alfred Goodall, Assistant Overseer, Ammunition Factory Dum Dum, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor James Flood, to be Conductor;

Store Sergeant Ernest John Gough, to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor William McDowell, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 4th November 1908.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

BENGAL-PUNJAB LIST.

No. 181.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Harry Willasey Wilsey, to be Commissary;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Henry Emmett, to be Deputy Commissary and to have the Honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor John Foy to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor Charles William Frederick Spinks to be Conductor;

Sub-Conductor Francis Stephens, supernumerary to complement, to be absorbed in the grade of Sub-Conductor;

vice Commissary and Honorary Captain William Wilson, retired, with effect from the 10th December 1908.

INDIA MISCELLANEOUS LIST.

No. 182.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Charles Barnes to be Commissary;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Arbery to be Deputy Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor James Elworthy Wilkinson to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor Herbert Lucas to be Conductor;

Sergeant Victor George Pilcher to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Commissary and Honorary Captain James Lennox retired; with effect from the 1st November 1908.

NATIVE ARMY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 183.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Fazl Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, 82nd Punjabis. Dated 1st January 1909.

No. 184.—The following promotions are made:—

1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

Jemadar Faiz Muhammad Khan to be Ressaidar, and Dafadar Muhammad Shafi Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Ressaidar Sikhdar Khan transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th January 1909.

59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force).

Subadar Bishn Singh to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Kirpa Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Bukhan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Dit Singh, *Bahadur*, deceased; with effect from the 22nd October 1908.

94th Russell's Infantry.

Jemadar Duli Chand to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Murli Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Khem Chand, deceased; with effect from the 26th October 1908.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 185.—Lieutenant James Osmund Airy, 114th Mahrattas, is permitted to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 28th February 1909.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 186.—No. 254, 2nd class Hospital Assistant Narhar Balwant, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, is permitted to resign the service.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 187.—The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified:—

Colonel Henry Napier McRae, C.B., Indian Army,—25th March 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Charles Atkinson, Indian Army,—28th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ORGANISATION.

No. 188.—His Excellency the Governor-General is pleased to sanction the incorporation, with effect from the 15th October 1908, of the Mounted Volunteers in the United Provinces into one Corps of Light Horse, to be styled the "United Provinces Horse", formed into two Regiments, the existing United Provinces Light Horse forming the nucleus of the 1st or Southern Regiment, with head-quarters at Cawnpore, and the Dehra Dun Mounted Rifles and the Mounted Company of the Naini Tal Volunteer Rifles forming the nucleus of the 2nd or Northern Regiment, with head-quarters at Dehra Dun.

The two Regiments, while independent of each other for administrative purposes, will reciprocate as to transfers, and have the following recruiting areas :—

1st or Southern Regiment—The Civil Divisions of Lucknow, Fyzabad, Gorakpore, Benares and Allahabad.

2nd or Northern Regiment—The Civil Divisions of Kumaun, Rohilkhand, Meerut and Agra.

A Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant and an Adjutant is authorized for each Regiment, and an Honorary Colonel for the Corps.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Madras Volunteer Guards.

No. 189.—Edgar Ernest Eglinton Bailey, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* White promoted. Dated 26th January 1909.

1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.

No. 190.—Captain Frederick Archibald Leslie-Jones resigns his commission. Dated 1st December 1908.

Lieutenant Alfred Cooper Woolner to be Captain, *vice* Leslie-Jones resigned. Dated 1st December 1908.

Second-Lieutenant Charles Gordon Darroch Farquhar to be Lieutenant, *vice* Woolner promoted. Dated 1st December 1908.

Frederick Archibald Leslie-Jones, to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Farquhar promoted. Dated 2nd December 1908.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 191.—Lieutenant James Campbell Mitchell, to be Captain, *vice* Faulconbridge, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 26th October 1908.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

No. 192.—Harry Edwin Williams, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Prime resigned. Dated 1st December 1908.

Moulmein Volunteer Rifles.

No. 193.—Lieutenant Allen Herbert Storer Campbell, to be Captain, *vice* Brown transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 2nd September 1908.

1st Battalion, Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 194—Captain (Honorary Major) Michael William Fleischer, V.D., (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated 28th December 1908.

South Andaman Volunteer Rifles.

No. 195.—Lieutenant Reginald Fendall Lowis, to be Captain, to complete the establishment. Dated 25th January 1909.

Eric Howard Thirkell White, to be Lieutenant, *vice* Lowis promoted. Dated 25th January 1909.

Poona Volunteer Rifles.

No. 196.—Second-Lieutenant John Moore resigns his commission. Dated 29th January 1909.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 197.—Harold Rienzi Milton Groves, to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st November 1908.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 198.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officers:—

Surma Valley Light Horse.

Major Alexander James Lamb.

Assam Valley Light Horse.

Major Lionel Augustus Grimston.

Dehra Dun Mounted Rifles.

Major John Henry Anderson Ivens.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

Major William Wogan Badcock.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 26th February 1909.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Army Department between the 17th and 23rd February 1909:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
72nd Punjabis .	Lieutenant Edmund Wilbraham Everard Milman.	17th February 1909.	Barrackpore .	...	...
Royal Field Artillery.	Major Lionel Lewis Parker.	17th February 1909.	Jubbulpore .	...	...
India Miscellaneous List.	Sub-Conductor Ernest Corfe.	19th February 1909.	Simla . .	...	...

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates between the 20th January and 23rd February 1909.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.
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*George Cecil Hamilton White.	Lieutenant	Royal Engineers.	29th November 1908.	No will found.	760 12 0	25th April 1909.

* *Next-of-kin* – Mother :—
Mrs. C. M. White.
Address—45, Marlborough Hill,
London, S. W.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.

Fort William, the 26th February 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

No. 11.—Captain S. M. Castle, 1st Battalion, The Sherwood Foresters, to be Assistant Superintendent of Army Clothing, with effect from the 22nd February 1909.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 12.—The following officers of the Indian Medical Service, having satisfactorily completed their courses at the Royal Army Medical College and at Aldershot, have been finally admitted to the service. Their commissions will bear date the 1st August 1908:—

Reginald Broughton Lloyd.
Archibald Campbell Munro.
Ram Nath Chopra.
Alfred Geddes Tresidder.
Gordon Gray Jolly.
Hugh Stott.
Alister Argyll Campbell McNeill.
Robert Long Gamlen.
Abdus Sattar Khan.
George Frederick Graham.
Maneck Dhunjishaw Wadia.
Taylor David Murison.
Sohrab Shapoorji Vazifdar.
John Joseph Harper Nelson.
Edward Selby Phipson.
Fleet Floyd Strother Smith.
Sureswar Sarkar.
Arthur Jessop Symes.
Gerald Lewis Colhoun Little.
Thomas Crawford Boyd.

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel*,
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 20th February 1909.

No. 59.—Mr. D. E. Keatinge, Chief Store-keeper, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is, on return from leave, transferred to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway and appointed as Chief Store-keeper of that line.

No. 60.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 59, dated the 20th February 1909, Mr. S. H. Maule-Cole is, on relief of his duties as Officiating Chief Store-keeper, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, re-transferred to the North Western Railway in his substantive appointment of Store-keeper in class II, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment.

No. 61.—With reference to Notification No. 59, dated the 20th February 1909, Mr. F. W. Wadley is permanently transferred to the Eastern Bengal State Railway with substantive rank in class II, grade 4, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways. Mr. Wadley will continue to officiate as Chief Store-keeper of the Eastern Bengal State Railway until further orders.

No. 62.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 186, dated the 25th June 1908, Mr. D. Isaacs, Store-keeper, North-Western Railway, officiating in class II of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, will revert to his substantive rank in class III, grade 2, of that Establishment with effect from the date of Mr. S. H. Maule-Cole's rejoining his appointment on the North-Western Railway.

The 22nd February 1909.

No. 63.—Mr. H. F. Lockwood, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in class III, grade 2 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 1st February 1909, *vice* Mr. F. H. Reaks on leave.

No. 64.—Mr. Frederick William Wilby is appointed, under covenant, to the establishment of State Railways, as a Travelling Auditor and is posted to the North Western Railway.

No. 65.—Mr. Ernest Cornforth is appointed, under covenant, to the establishment of State Railways, as a Travelling Auditor and is posted to the Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 66.—The services of Lieutenant H. B. Clarke, R.E., Assistant Engineer, North Western Railway, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

The 24th February 1909.

No. 68.—Mr. J. H. White, Executive Engineer, has been granted by His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, furlough for 2 days in extension of the leave notified in Railway Board's Notification No. 357, dated the 2nd December 1908.

No. 69.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. S. Rose, R.E., Junior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 3, is placed on special temporary duty under the Railway Board, with effect from the 7th February 1909.

No. 70.—Mr. Stewart Elles Lawrence West is appointed a probationary Assistant Traffic Superintendent in Class III, grade 4 of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways and posted to the North Western Railway.

The 25th February 1909.

No. 71.—Mr. R. J. Chalmers, Chief Locomotive Draughtsman with the rank of Assistant Superintendent in the Superior Locomotive Department of State Railways, is transferred to the Carriage and Wagon Department and appointed to officiate as a District Superintendent on the North Western Railway with temporary rank in class II, grade 4 of the Superior Revenue Establishment, with effect from such date as he assumed charge of his duties in the Carriage and Wagon Department.

The 26th February 1909.

No. 72.—With reference to Notification No. 69, dated 24th February 1909, Captain E. N. Manley, R.E., Executive Engineer, North Western Railway, is appointed to officiate as Junior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 3, Gorakhpur.

The 23rd February 1909.

No.—67.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 316 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 17th February 1909.

Adoption on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Behar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways of the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 188, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89 \text{ A.}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

Railway Board's notification No. 290, dated the 1st November 1907, and Railway Board's resolution No. 1305 R. T., dated the 30th October 1907.

Railway Board's notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908, and Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908.

READ ALSO—

Letter No. 223 R., dated the 1st February 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department.

RESOLUTION.—The Managing Agents of the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Behar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railway Companies have recommended the adoption on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Behar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways of the amendments promulgated with Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908, in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway in British India, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Behar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways, in Railway Board's resolution No. 1305 R. T., dated the 30th October 1907, read in the preamble above.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments in the said General Rules, cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Howrah-Amta, Howrah-Sheakhalla, Bukhtiarpur-Behar and Baraset-Basirhat Light Railways.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Railway Department, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 2, Calcutta, for information.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Calcutta, the 2nd March 1909.

No. 247.—In modification of the Home Department notification no. 140, dated the 14th February 1906, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the confirmation of Major A. E. Roberts, M.B., I.M.S. (since retired), in the appointment of Secretary to the Director General, Indian Medical Service, shall take effect from the 9th September 1904, the date on which he assumed charge of that office.

The 5th March 1909.

No. 257.—Captain E. A. C. Matthews, M.B., I.M.S., is appointed to officiate as Superintendent of the X-ray Institute, Dehra Dun, during the absence of Captain A. E. Walter, I.M.S., who has proceeded on leave in anticipation of formal sanction, or until further orders.

No. 260.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces :—

Captain W. M. Pearson, M.B., I.M.S.

Captain C. Dykes, M.B., I.M.S.

No. 261.—The services of Major S. A. Harriss, M.B., I.M.S., are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces for employment in the Sanitary Department.

No. 262.—The services of Captain F. W. Sumner, M.B., F.R.C.S.E., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces.

SANITARY.

The 2nd March 1909.

No 371.—Major S. P. James, M.D., I.M.S., is confirmed in the appointment of Statistical Officer to the Government of India in the Sanitary and Medical Departments, with effect from the 9th September 1904.

JUDICIAL.

The 5th March 1909.

No. 343.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900 (VI of 1900), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. E. A. Moore, of the Indian Civil Service, to officiate as a Judge of the Chief Court, Lower Burma, during the absence on leave of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Hartnoll or until further orders.

No. 345.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to place the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, on deputation with effect from the 6th March 1909 to inspect and report to the High Court on such of the civil courts subject to its appellate jurisdiction as it may direct.

No. 346.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe having been placed on deputation to inspect and report to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on such of the civil courts subject to its appellate jurisdiction as it may direct, the Governor-General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict. C. 104), section 7, to appoint Mr. T. W. Richardson, I.C.S., Barrister-at-Law, to act as a Judge of the High Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe, or until further orders.

No. 348.—The Hon'ble the Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal has appointed Mr. A. W. Watson, of the Indian Civil Service, to officiate as Registrar on the Appellate Side of the Court, with effect from the afternoon of the 17th March 1909, during the obsence on leave of Mr. A. P. Muddiman, or until further orders.

POLICE.

The 3rd March 1909.

No. 230.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam for employment in the civil police :—

Lieutenant H. Stoddart, 11th Rajputs.

Lieutenant A. M. Hutchins, 1st Battalion, 3rd Gurkha Rifles.

The 4th March 1909.

No. 233.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the "Gaekwar's Dabhoi Railway" shall be omitted from the list of railways enumerated on the margin of the Home Department notification no. 922, dated the 10th July 1908.

H. A STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 1st March 1909.

No. 20.—In Public Works Department Notification No. 13, dated the 4th February 1909, for the words "privilege leave for 2 months and 27 days" substitute the words "privilege leave to the extent due."

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 1st March 1909.

No. 605-*Est.*—Major C. H. Bowle-Evans, Indian Medical Service (*Bengal*), an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, is granted privilege leave for two months and twenty-one days combined with furlough for one year six months and nine days, and study leave for three months, with effect from the 11th January 1909, under Articles 233 and 308(*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, and the Regulations prescribed under the Notification by the Government of India in the Department of Military Supply, No. 16-Medical Department, dated the 15th March 1907.

No. 606-*Est.*—Major V. G. Drake-Brockman, Indian Medical Service (*Bengal*), an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, is posted as Civil Surgeon, Hazara, with effect from the 16th January 1909.

The 2nd March 1909.

No. 621-*Est.*—Lieutenant R. E. H. Griffith, a probationer for the Political Department, is posted as Supernumerary Assistant Commissioner, Kohat, with effect from the 23rd January 1909.

No. 622-*Est.*—Lieutenant-Colonel E. Inglis, a Political Agent of the 1st class, is granted privilege leave for 1 month and 15 days, combined with furlough on medical certificate for 7 months and 15 days, under the provisions of Articles 233 and 308 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd February 1909.

No. 623-*Est.*—Major C. B. Rawlinson, C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 2nd class, is posted temporarily as Divisional and Sessions Judge, Peshawar Division, in addition to his duties as additional Revenue Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, with effect from the 3rd February 1909.

No. 443-*I. B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the substitution of the words "Act V of 1908, the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908," for the entries relating to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882 (Act XIV of 1882), in the notifications mentioned in the schedule hereto annexed :—

SCHEDULE.

1. Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 356-I.B., dated the 25th January 1901, as amended by the like notification No. 1279-I. B., dated the 26th March 1901.
2. Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 1245-I.B., dated the 13th March 1903.
3. Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 427-I. B. dated the 29th January 1904.

No. 551-*G.*—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. John Renwick Halliday as Vice-Consul for Brazil at Rangoon.

No. 552-*G.*—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. James Fredrick Brown as Commercial Agent for Brazil at Rangoon.

The 5th March 1909.

No. 674-*Est.*—Mr. H. V. Cobb, a Political Agent of the 1st class, on special duty, is appointed to be a Resident of the 3rd class and Resident at Baroda, with effect from the 19th February 1909.

No. 675-*Est.*—Mr. O. V. Bosanquet, a Political Agent of the 1st class, is appointed, on return from furlough, to officiate as a Resident of the 3rd class and Resident at Baroda, with effect from the 19th February 1909, and during the absence of Mr. Cobb on special duty or until further orders.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 4th March 1909.

No. 1213-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. V. C. Scott-O'Connor, officiating Deputy Auditor General, is, with effect from the 24th of February 1909, granted privilege leave for 1 month and 4 days in conjunction with furlough on medical certificate for 7 months and 26 days.

No. 1221-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. G. A. Pinto, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Punjab, is promoted substantively as Chief Superintendent in that office with effect from the 14th of February 1909, *vice* Mr. H. Whitford retired.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

OPIUM.

The 5th March 1909.

No. 1257-*Exc.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Opium Act, 1878 (I of 1878), the Governor General in Council is pleased to cancel with effect from the 1st April 1909 the notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department, No. 3693-Ex., dated the 19th June 1903, and the second proviso to the notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department, No. 4220-Exc., dated the 18th July 1908.

J. S. MESTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 4th March 1909.

No. 395-*Accts.*—Lieutenant-Colonel B. Scott, Indian Army, Controller of Military Accounts, is granted accumulated privilege leave for 90 days, from or after the 13th April 1909.

No. 396-*Accts.*—Lieutenant-Colonel T. H. Henderson, Indian Army, Controller of Military Accounts, is granted combined leave out of India (p. a.) for 8 months from or after the 1st April 1909, the first 90 days being privilege leave and the remaining period leave under the leave rules of 1886 for the Indian Army—Pension Service 26th year commenced, 6th February 1909.

R. A. MANT,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

TELEGRAPH.

Calcutta, the 1st March 1909.

No. 1744-67.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the Note below Rule 63 of the Rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, No. 298, dated 22nd September 1904, shall be cancelled.

INDUSTRIES.

The 3rd March 1909.

No. 1840-5.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (3), of the Indian Tea Cess Act, 1903 (IX of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased, on the recommendation of the Indian Tea Association, to appoint Mr. Arthur Preston, of Messrs. Balmer, Lawrie and Campany, to fill the vacancy on the Indian Tea Cess Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. Currie.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 5th March 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 199.—The services of Lieutenant G. C. B. Musgrave, 90th Punjabis, have been placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma; with effect from the 23rd of October, 1908, for appointment as Officiating Cantonment Magistrate, Mandalay.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S BODY-GUARD.

No. 200.—Captain V. A. S. Keighley, 18th Prince of Wales's Own Tiwana Lancers, Adjutant, Governor-General's Body-Guard, to be Commandant, *vice* Captain H. N. Holden, 5th Cavalry, vacated. Dated 2nd March 1909.

No. 201.—Lieutenant V. C. P. Hodson, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers, (Hodson's Horse), to be Adjutant, *vice* Captain V. A. S. Keighley, 18th Prince of Wales's Own Tiwana Lancers, appointed Commandant. Dated 2nd March 1909.

COMMANDS.

No. 202.—Colonel G. J. Younghusband, C.B., to be a Colonel on the Staff, and is granted the temporary rank of Brigadier-General whilst so employed, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 16th February 1909.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 203.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

"*London Gazette*," *dated 9th February 1909, pages 1026 and 1027.*

War Office, Whitehall,
9th February 1909.

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UNATTACHED LIST FOR INDIAN ARMY.

Second-Lieutenant William Michael Kington Dickinson, from Unattached List Territorial Force (University Candidate), to be Second-Lieutenant with a view to his appintment to the Indian Army. Dated 22nd February 1908, with precedence next below O. C. Radford, but not to carry pay or allowance prior to 10th February 1909.

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"London Gazette," dated 12th February 1909, pages 1111 and 1112.

War Office, Whitehall,
12th February 1909.

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MEMORANDA.

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The undermentioned Officers having been admitted to the Indian Army, and to rank from the dates specified against their names, are granted the rank of Lieutenant from those dates, but without pay or allowance :—

Lieutenant Henry V. Reynolds (late The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)). Dated 22nd July 1905.

Lieutenant John C. H. Holliday (late Royal Field Artillery). Dated 15th October 1905.

Lieutenant Frank A. Macartney (late The Royal Warwickshire Regiment). Dated 10th January 1906.

Lieutenant Graham E. Dunsterville (late The Devonshire Regiment). Dated 4th September 1906.

Lieutenant Cyril D. Noyes (late Royal Garrison Artillery). Dated 21st March 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Alexander C. Anderson (late The Royal Sussex Regiment). Dated 28th April 1907.

Lieutenant Ernest H. S. Chapman (late The Royal Fusiliers (City of London Regiment)). Dated 16th November 1907.

Second-Lieutenant Brereton R. Hudson (late 1st (Royal) Dragoons). Dated 16th December 1907.

Lieutenant Arthur E. B. Parsons (late The Sherwood Foresters (Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire Regiment)). Dated 4th July 1908.

Lieutenant Tudor I. G. Thomas (late The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)). Dated 23rd August 1908.

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ORGANISATION.

ARMY RESERVES.

No. 204.—Alexander Grant, to be Second-Lieutenant in the Infantry Branch of the Indian Army Reserve of officers.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 205.—The following promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Colonel.

16th February 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George John Younghusband, C.B., Commandant, Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Lumsden's).

Lieutenants to be Captains.

27th February 1909.

Francis Hewson Barton, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

28th February 1909.

George Clarke Deuton, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzai Regiment).

INDIAN CIVIL VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

Captain to be Major.

28th February 1909.

Frank Shelson Headon Baldrey, F.R.C.V.S., D.V.H.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 206.—Jemadar Bharat Singh, 16th Cavalry, appointed on probation in Army Department Notification No. 77 of 1907, is confirmed in that rank, with effect from the 12th January 1907.

No. 207.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Risaldar-Major Sikandar Khan, *Khan Sahib, Sardar Bahadur*, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse). Dated 1st January 1909.

No. 208.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Lieutenant is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar Balbir Rana, *Sardar Bahadur*, 1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles. Dated 1st February 1909.

No. 209.—The following promotions are made:—

2nd Battalion, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Havildar Fateh Sing Rawat to be Jemadar, *vice* Baisakh Sing Rawat, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th January 1909.

47th Sikhs.

Havildar-Major Harnam Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Sant Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 18th January 1909.

83rd Wallajahbad Light Infantry.

Jemadar Fakir Ahmad to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Muhammad Azam to be Jemadar, *vice* Shaikh Madina, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th December 1908.

92nd Punjabis.

Jemadar Jiwan Singh to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Chandan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Jawand Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 9th December 1908.

Colour-Havildar Fateh Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Harnam Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 9th December 1908.

95th Russell's Infantry.

Jemadar Baijnath Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Jaikaran Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Sahajram Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

1st Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Kirpa Ram Pun to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Bakhtsing Rana, to be Jemadar, *vice* Balbir Rana, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

2nd Battalion, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Indar Bahadur Mal to be Subadar and Havildar Nain Sing Gharti to be Jemadar, *vice* Kabiraj Pun, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

Havildar Mahesor Thapa to be Jemadar, *vice* Basantia Roka, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

1st Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Quarter-Master-Havildar Aita Sing Lama, to be Jemadar, *vice* Mandhoj Lama, promoted; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Colour-Havildar Purandhoj Gurung to be Jemadar, *vice* Sribahadur Limbu, transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Colour-Havildar Singbir Rai to be Jemadar, *vice* Narayan Giri, promoted; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Havildar-Major Sriganje Rai to be Jemadar, *vice* Hari Kisan Thapa, transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Colour-Havildar Kulbahadur Limbu to be Jemadar, *vice* Chakrabadur Limbu, promoted; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Colour-Havildar Asjit Rai to be Jemadar, *vice* Hansarup Limbu, transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Colour-Havildar Harkabir Limbu to be Jemadar, *vice* Chhetradhoj Limbu, transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

86th Carnatic Infantry.

No. 210.—In Army Department Notification No. 947 of 1908, promoting Jemadar Govindasami and Havildar Narayanasami, for "11th October 1908" read "10th October 1908."

DISMISSALS AND REMOVALS.

No. 211.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 180, sub-section 2 (*f*), Army Act, the Governor-General of India directs that Conductor F. N. Press, India Miscellaneous List, lately employed as a Military Clerk in the Office of the Adjutant-General in India, be remanded to regimental duty in the regimental rank, *viz.*, Bombardier, held by him immediately previous to his appointment to be a Warrant Officer, with effect from the 19th November 1908.

RESIGNATIONS.

No. 212.—Lieutenant Hugh Irving Adams, 5th Light Infantry, has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to resign the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 4th March 1909.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 213.—Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Charles Ryall, 4th Gurkha Rifles, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from 17th February 1909.

No. 214.—Lieutenant Alexander Daniel Reid, Indian Army, temporary half-pay list, has been transferred by the Secretary of State for India to the retired list on permanent half-pay, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the 26th April 1909.

SPECIAL.

No. 215.—With reference to paragraph 293, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, the undermentioned officer, having been absent from military duty for ten years, is transferred to the supernumerary list; with effect from the date specified:—

Major Henry Warwick Berthon, Assistant Political Agent, 2nd grade,—14th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.

No. 216.—Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Stewart Menzies, Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, resigns his commission. Dated 1st January 1909.

Behar Light Horse.

No. 217.—The Hon'ble Sir Edward Norman Baker, K.C.S.I., Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, to be Honorary Colonel, *vice* Sir Andrew Henderson Leith Fraser, K.C.S.I., resigned. Dated 1st December 1908.

Coorg and Mysore Rifles.

No. 218.—Second-Lieutenant Hugh Watson to be Lieutenant, *vice* Pilkington transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 29th October 1908.

Kolar Gold Fields Rifle Volunteers.

No. 219.—Second-Lieutenant Percy Meyrick Morris Davies to be Lieutenant, *vice* Rowley promoted. Dated 7th February 1908.

Lieutenant John Arthur Mathews to be Captain, *vice* Osborn resigned. Dated 1st December 1908.

Second-Lieutenant Frank Leonard Wilkins to be Lieutenant, *vice* Mathews promoted. Dated 1st December 1908.

Harry Chynowith Richards to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st January 1909.

Richard Martin Treloar to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 8th January 1909.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 5th March 1909.

Under Clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that a report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer on the date specified, was received in the Army Department between the 24th February and 2nd March 1909 :—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).	Lieutenant Archibald Gwatkin.	26th February 1909.	Zhob Valley	...	...

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates between the 24th February and 2nd March 1909.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.
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* Arthur Leighton Hume-Spry.	2nd-Lieutenant.	1st Battalion, The Royal Warwickshire Regiment.	18th June 1908.	Intestate	34 4 11	Claims should be submitted to the Administrator General of Bengal.
† Henry Joseph O'Donoghue.	Assistant Surgeon.	Indian Subordinate Medical Department.	20th December 1908.	Intestate	91 6 11	Ditto.

* *Next-of-kin*—Mother—
Mrs. Mary F. Hume-Spry.
Address—3, Southern Hill, Reading, England.
† *Widow*—Mrs. Kathleen Ivy O'Donoghue.
Son—Harry Joseph Kearney O'Donoghue.
Address—C/o E. B. Connell, Esq.,
Regimental Institute, Bellary

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 5th March 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 6.—The following appointments to the Royal Indian Marine have been made by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India with effect from the 28th December 1908.

To be Sub-Lieutenants.

Reginald Dundas Merriman.
Edward Melville Bayfield.

LEAVE.

No. 7.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Commander A. Rowand, D.S.O., Royal Indian Marine, for one month and three days (p.a.)

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 2nd March 1909.

No. 73.—It is hereby notified for general information that His Majesty's Secretary of State for India has sanctioned the construction as a famine protective railway of an extension of the Morappur-Dharmapuri Railway from Dharmapuri to Hosur on the 2′ 6″ gauge, a distance of 60·5 miles.

2. The extension will be constructed and worked by the South Indian Railway Company.

The 3rd March 1909.

No. 74.—Mr. L. E. H. Yates, Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, is granted combined leave for eight months (privilege leave for three months and furlough for the remaining period) under Articles 233 and 308 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 22nd March 1909 or subsequent date.

No. 75.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 74, dated the 3rd March 1909, Mr. R. K. Biernacki, Officiating Carriage and Wagon Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is retransferred to the North Western Railway and appointed to officiate as Locomotive Superintendent of that line till further orders.

No. 76.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 75, dated the 3rd March 1909, Mr. J. P. Williams, Officiating Deputy Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is transferred to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway and appointed to officiate as Carriage and Wagon Superintendent of that line till further orders.

No 77.—Mr. G. Richards, Engineer-in-Chief of the Zadabin-Chittagong Railway Survey, is granted the officiating rank of Superintending Engineer, 3rd Class, with effect from the 1st October 1908.

The 5th March 1909.

No. 78.—Mr. A. C. Robertson, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is promoted from class III, grade 4, to class III, grade 3, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 13th November 1908.

No. 79.—It is hereby notified for general information that His Majesty's Secretary of State for India has sanctioned the construction of a railway on the 5′ 6″ gauge from Phaphamau (near Allahabad) to Unao (near Cawnpore), a length of 114·58 miles with branches from Mustafabad to Rae Bareli and from Munshiganj to Dalmau, 23·41 and 15·32 miles long respectively, as an integral part of the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

The project will be known as the Allahabad-Rae Bareli-Cawnpur Railway.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

Calcutta, the 8th March 1909.

No. 427.—The services of Lieutenant A. Mackrell, 109th Infantry, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 473.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Madura in the Madura taluq of the Madura district of the Madras Presidency, if persons from the Mysore State are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Chitrai and Kalla Alagar festivals and cattle fair:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Ayyalur, Vadamadurai, Tamaraipadi, Dindigul, Ambatturai, Kodaikanal Road, Vadippatti, Solavandan, Samaiyanallur, Madura Bridge, Madura, Pasumalai, Tiruparankunram, Kappalur, Tirumangalam, Sivarakottai and Kalligudi on the South Indian Railway shall be sold from the 19th April to the 10th May 1909 (both days inclusive) within the Mysore State to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Chitrai and Kalla Alagar festivals and cattle fair at Madura.

SANITARY.

The 9th March 1909.

No. 441.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Bamber, I.M.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab.

JUDICIAL.

The 9th March 1909.

No. 364.—The Hon'ble Sir Francis William Maclean, Kt., K.C.I.E., having resigned the office of Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal with effect from the 12th March 1909, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C.104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harington, one of the Judges of the High Court, to perform the duties of Chief Justice until such time as Sir Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I E., whose appointment as Chief Justice has been approved by His Majesty the King-Emperor, enters on the discharge of the duties of his office or until further orders.

The 10th March 1909.

No. 369.—Mr. A. B. Miller, Official Trustee, Bengal, is granted extraordinary leave for ten months, with effect from the 20th March 1909 or the subsequent date from which he may avail himself of it, under articles 658 and 332 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 371.—Mr. C. E. Grey, Barrister-at-Law, is appointed to act as Official Trustee of Bengal during the absence on extraordinary leave of Mr. A. B. Miller, or until further orders.

No. 374.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harington, a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, having been appointed to perform the duties of Chief Justice of the said Court until such time as Sir Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I.E., whose appointment as Chief Justice has been approved by His Majesty the King-Emperor, enters upon the discharge of the duties of his office, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C. 104), section 7, to appoint Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, I.C.S., Judicial Commissioner, Chota Nagpur, to act as a Judge of the High Court for the period during which the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harington performs the duties of the Chief Justice, or until further orders.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 378.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Holmwood, who was placed on deputation by the Home Department notification no. 183, dated the 5th February 1909, to inspect and report to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on such of the Civil Courts subordinate to its Appellate jurisdiction as it might direct, resumed his seat in the High Court on the 6th March 1909.

No. 379.—Mr. T. W. Richardson, I.C.S., Barrister-at-Law, took his seat as an acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 6th March 1909.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 8th March 1909.

No. 90.—The Reverend Selwyn Padfield has been appointed a Chaplain on probation on the Bengal (Lucknow) Ecclesiastical establishment to fill an existing vacancy.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

AGRICULTURE.

Calcutta, the 11th March 1909.

No. 305—86—2.—Dr. J. W. Leather, Ph.D., F.I.C., F.C.S., Imperial Agricultural Chemist, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough for 3 months, with effect from 15th April 1909, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, under Articles 233 and 308 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 308—86—3.—Mr. H. E. Annett, B.Sc., Supernumerary Chemist, is appointed to act as Imperial Agricultural Chemist, during the absence on combined leave of Dr. J. W. Leather, Ph.D., F.I.C., F.C.S., the Imperial Agricultural Chemist, or until further orders.

No. 311—87—2.—Dr. E. J. Butler, M.B., F.L.S., Imperial Mycologist, is granted privilege leave for 2 months and 18 days, combined with furlough for 4 months and 12 days, with effect from 18th April 1909 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it, under Articles 233 and 308 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 314—87—3.—Mr. W. McRae, M.A., B.Sc., Supernumerary Mycologist, is appointed to act as Imperial Mycologist during the absence on combined leave of Dr. E. J. Butler, M.B., F.L.S., the Imperial Mycologist, or until further orders.

GENERAL.

The 11th March 1909.

No. 606—16—4.—Mr. W. F. Perrée, Assistant Inspector General of Forests, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough for 16 months under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations with effect from the 23rd March 1909 or the subsequent date on which he may make over charge of his duties. Mr. Perrée will revert to his position in the Forest Department list of Eastern Bengal and Assam with effect from the date on which his furlough commences.

No. 607.—Mr. S. Carr, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Burma, is appointed Assistant Inspector General of Forests with effect from the date on which he may take over charge of the office from Mr. Perrée.

FORESTS.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 362-*F*.—114-1.—With reference to the notification of this Department, No. 1248-F.—250-4, dated the 20th November 1908, Mr. M. Hill, Conservator of Forests, III grade, is appointed to officiate as Conservator of Forests, II grade, until further orders, with effect from the 12th November 1908, *vice* Mr. C. E. Muriel, Conservator, II grade, on leave.

No. 364-*F*—319-12.—With reference to the notification of this Department, No. 1244-F.—319-10, dated the 18th November 1908, the following promotions are made with effect from the 14th January 1909, the date on which the furlough of Mr. A. L. McIntire, Conservator of Forests, I grade, commenced or until further orders :—

(i) Mr. A. F. Gradon, Conservator of Forests, II grade, to officiate as Conservator of Forests, I grade.

(ii) Mr. C. G. Rogers, Conservator of Forests, III grade, to officiate as Conservator of Forests, II grade.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 8th March 1909.

No. 21.—Babu Bankim Krishna Ghose, Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade, Bengal, is appointed to the Provincial Service of the Engineer Branch of the Public Works Department, as an Assistant Engineer, with effect from the 1st January 1909, and is posted to Bengal.

The 9th March 1909.

No. 22.—Mr. G. B. Goyder, Examiner of Accounts, attached to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, North Western Railway, is granted, under Articles 233, 260 and 308 of the Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for 8 months, *viz.*, privilege leave for 3 months and furlough for the remaining period, with effect from the 13th April 1909 or subsequent date.

The 10th March 1909.

No. 23.—Mr. F. St. G. Manners-Smith, Superintending Engineer, 1st class, is, on completion of the special duty for which his services were temporarily placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces by Notification No. 153, dated the 6th October 1908, permanently transferred to Bengal.

The 11th March 1909.

No. 24.—Mr. R. B. C. Scott, Deputy Examiner of Accounts, is, on return from leave, posted to the office of the Examiner of Accounts, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 25.—Mr. J. H. W. Kruger, Assistant Examiner of Accounts, 1st grade, is promoted to Deputy Examiner, Class II, temporary rank, with effect from the 1st January 1909.

No. 26.—Messrs. R. Sundarachari and J. H. Egan, Assistant Examiners of Accounts, 2nd grade, are promoted to Assistant Examiners, 1st grade, with effect from the 1st January 1909.

No. 27.—Messrs. C. Subrahmanya Ayyar and T. R. Vridhajiri Sarma, Assistant Examiners of Accounts, 3rd grade, on probation, are confirmed in the Superior Accounts Branch and promoted to Assistant Examiners, 2nd grade, with effect from the 1st January 1909.

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 10th March 1909.

No. 512-*I. B.*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the word "Khiauda" shall be inserted between the words "Kathaun" and "Parone" in the margin of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 4302-I. B., dated the 11th December 1908.

No. 728-*Est.*.—Captain R. H. Chenevix-Trench, a Political Assistant of the 2nd class, is placed on special duty as Boundary Settlement Officer, Rajputana, with effect from the 5th February 1909.

The 11th March 1909.

No. 749-*Est.*.—Captain D. G. Wilson, a Political Assistant of the 3rd class, is posted temporarily as Deputy Commissioner, Kohat, with effect from the 21st February 1909.

No. 750-*Est.*.—Mr. W. P. Barton, a Political Agent of the 2nd class, is posted as Divisional and Sessions Judge, Peshawar Division, with effect from the 22nd February 1909.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 770-*Est.*.—Mr. E. H. Kealy, a Political Agent of the 4th class, is posted, on return from leave, as Divisional and Sessions Judge, Derajat Division, with effect from the 17th February 1909.

No. 628-*G.*.—The following Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department is published for general information :—

RESOLUTION.—By the Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 627-G., dated Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

The Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following officer be added to those empowered in paragraph 2, clause (1) of the Resolution of the Government of India in the Foreign Department No. 3001-I. A., dated the 27th June 1903, to grant licenses for the export of arms and ammunition to the Native State under his political charge :—

The Political Officer in Sikkim, Gangtok.

No. 629-*G.*.—With reference to the provisions contained in section 46, clause (4), of the Prisons Act (IX of 1894), as applied to the territories administered by the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General in Baluchistan, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following rules to regulate the punishment of prison offences by loss of privileges admissible under the remission system :—

For a prison offence any one of the following punishments involving loss of privileges admissible under the remission system may be awarded :—

(*a*) Forfeiture of remission earned.
(*b*) Temporary forfeiture of class, grade or prison privileges.
(*c*) Temporary or permanent reduction from a higher to a lower class or grade.
(*d*) Temporary or permanent exclusion from the remission system.

Provided that :—

No order directing the forfeiture of remission in excess of nine days, or the exclusion of a prisoner from the remission system for a period exceeding three months shall take effect without the previous sanction of the Inspector-General.

No. 631-*G.*.—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Herr F. Heyer as Consul for Germany at Bombay.

No. 533-*I. B.*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and in supersession of the notifications of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, Nos. 1415-E. B., 1416-E. B. and 1417-E. B., dated the 11th July 1902, the Governor General in Council is pleased to apply, so far as they are applicable, the provisions of the following Acts to the British Reserve, Manipur, as hereinafter defined :—

Number and Year.	Short Title.
1. Act XLV of 1860	The Indian Penal Code.
2. Act VI of 1864	The Whipping Act, 1864.
3. Act I of 1871	The Cattle Trespass Act, 1871.
4. Act XI of 1878	The Indian Arms Act, 1878.
5. Act XI of 1890	The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act, 1890.
6. Act V of 1898	The Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

II. The powers of a Local Government under the aforesaid Acts shall be exercised by the Lieutenant Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam.

III. The British Reserve, Manipur, shall consist of—

(*a*) All lands comprised within the following boundaries :—

Commencing from cantonment boundary pillar No. 1, which is on the left bank of the Nag Nullah near the north-west corner of the Pat the line runs due west to the Nag Nullah,

then down the Nullah to its junction with the Nambol river, then down the Nambol river to reserve pillar No. 1, which is placed on the left bank close to where a large drain, or cut, falls into the river; then up this drain, or cut, which for the whole distance skirts the compounds of the Manipur State Jail, State Military Police Hospital and State Civil Police lines to the main road to Thobal, where pillar No. 2 is placed; then along this road in the direction of Thobal to pillar No. 3 on the right bank of the Imphal river at the point where the road first meets it; then up the river to the bridge which crosses the road forming the southerly boundary of the Pat. Then along the Cantonment boundary to Cantonment boundary pillar No. 6, then eastward along the northern side of the road for 700 feet to pillar No. 5. Then northwards to pillar No. 6, then by pillars 7, 8, 9 and 10, including the Muhammadan burial ground to the Imphal river, thence down the river to Cantonment boundary Pillar No. 7 situated on the left bank and close to the Minithong bridge near the north-east corner of the Pat.

From pillar No. 7 the boundary crosses the river Imphal a second time, and passes alongside of the Minithong bridge running almost due west to pillar No. 8.

The line then runs along the east side of the river *bund*, thus including it (the *bund*) in cantonments, and more or less follows the right bank of the river up to pillar No. 17.

The boundary here takes an easterly direction, and still closely follows the right bank of the Imphal river.

Then again the line runs in a northerly direction to pillar No. 20.

The boundary here runs west, following an old existing *bund* on its south side and about 50 feet from it.

Then the line follows the *bund*, running west and crosses the Nag Nullah to pillar No. 22, which is situated about 140 feet from the right bank of the Nullah.

Here the line continues its westerly direction and crosses the Nichuguard-Manipur cart-road to pillar No. 23, which is about 300 feet east of the 750 yards firing platform.

The boundary now runs nearly due north, and also forms the east lateral limits of the rifle range running about 300 feet east of the central line of existing range road to pillar No. 24, which is situated on the Chingmairong hill.

The boundary now forms the north limit of the rifle range, the line running about 380 feet behind the targets to pillar No. 25.

Here the boundary runs due south, forming the western limit of the rifle range, to pillar No. 26, situated nearly due west of the 800 yards firing platform and 300 feet from its centre.

The boundary then crosses the Thamaibund road to pillar No. 27, which is situated 80 feet east of the centre of the road.

The Cantonment boundary line runs due south to pillar No. 28, which is situated about 75 feet from the centre of the road.

The line still continues its southerly course to pillar No. 29 which is situated about 75 feet from the centre of the Thamaibund road and north-west of pillar No. 1.

From pillar No. 29 the line running in a south-easterly direction meets pillar No. 1 and

(*b*) all lands within the Ranjupkhul estate included within the ring fence.

No. 534-*I.B.*.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 412-E., dated the 3rd March 1891, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following orders determining the powers of the Political Agent, Manipur, in respect of criminal proceedings within the limits of the State of Manipur in which a British subject is either a complainant or an accused, and of all criminal proceedings within the limits of the British Reserve, Manipur, as set out in Notification No. 533-I.B., dated the 12th March 1909.

I. In respect of criminal proceedings against (*a*) European British subjects, (*b*) persons tried jointly with European British subjects, the Political Agent for the time being shall exercise the powers of a Magistrate of the 1st class under the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898 (V of 1898). There being no Court of Sessions having jurisdiction in respect of cases of this class in Manipur, appeals from sentences passed by the Political Agent in exercise of the said powers shall lie to the High Court, and if in any case the Political Agent is of opinion that the offence cannot be adequately punished by him and that the accused should be committed, the commitment shall be made to the High Court.

II. Except in the case referred to in the foregoing paragraph, and in cases in which only natives of the Lushai, Chin, or Naga Hills are concerned, in all cases in which a British subject is either an accused or a complainant, or which arise within the limits of the British reserve :—

(1) The Political Agent, Manipur, for the time being shall exercise the powers of a District Magistrate and a Court of Session as described in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

(2) The Lieutenant Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the time being shall exercise the powers of a Court of Sessions and a High Court as described

in the said Code in respect of all offences over which magisterial jurisdiction is exercised by the Political Agent, Manipur, provided that the Political Agent shall not commit any accused person for trial to the Lieutenant Governor acting as a Court of Session.

(3) The Lieutenant Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam for the time being shall exercise the powers of a High Court as described in the said Code in respect of all offences over which the jurisdiction of a Court of Session is exercised by the Political Agent, Manipur.

(4) In the exercise of the jurisdiction of a Court of Session conferred on him by clause II (2) of this notification, the Political Agent, Manipur, may take cognizance of an offence as a Court of original criminal jurisdiction without the accused person being committed to him by a Magistrate, and shall, when so taking cognizance of any offence follow the Procedure prescribed by the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, for the trial of warrant cases by Magistrates.

(5) The Political Agent, Manipur, is empowered to make over to the Manipur State authorities for trial, any case in which only Manipuri subjects are concerned of which he has taken cognizance under the jurisdiction vested in him by this notification.

No. 535-*I.B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, and in supersession of the notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 413-E., dated the 3rd March 1891, the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following orders for regulating the exercise of civil jurisdiction in the State of anipur in cases in which British subjects are parties, except in cases in which no British subject other than a native of the Naga Hills, Chin Hills, or Lushai Hills districts is concerned, and in cases arising within the limits of the British Reserve as set out in notification No. 533-I.B., dated the 12th March 1909.

(1) The provisions, so far as they can be made applicable in the circumstances for the time being, and as amended for the time being by subsequent enactments, of the Acts specified in the schedule to this notification, shall be applied.

(2) For the purposes of the said Acts, the Lieutenant-Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam shall be deemed to be the Local Government.

(3) For the purpose of facilitating the application of the said Acts in any case any of their provisions may be construed with such alterations not affecting the substance as may be necessary or proper to adapt them to the circumstances of that case.

(4) There shall be a Court of Small Causes with jurisdiction in all suits, cognizable under the Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887, when the amount or value of the subject-matter does not exceed five hundred rupees, and the Political Agent, Manipur, for the time being shall be the Judge of the Court of Small Causes.

(5) The Political Agent, Manipur, for the time being shall exercise the powers of a District Court as described in the Code of Civil Procedure, with jurisdiction in all original suits whatever be the amount or value of the subject-matter and in all other cases in which jurisdiction is conferred on the District Court by any of the Acts specified in the schedule to this notification.

(6) Subject to the provisions of the Acts specified in the schedule to this notification, appeals from decrees and orders made by the Political Agent in exercise of the powers of a District Court shall lie to the Lieutenant Governor of Eastern Bengal and Assam, who shall exercise the powers of a High Court for all purposes whatsoever connected with the administration of Civil Justice in the cases to which this notification applies.

(7) If on the face of any plaint presented in this Court it shall appear that all the parties concerned are subjects of the Manipur State, the Political Agent may, if he thinks fit, return the plaint for presentation in any Court of the Manipur State having jurisdiction, and the case shall then be triable in such State Court, even though any or all of the parties are residents in the British Reserve.

SCHEDULE.

Number and Year.	Short Title.
Act X of 1865	The Indian Succession Act, 1865.
Act VII of 1870	The Court Fees Act, 1870.
Act I of 1872	The Indian Evidence Act, 1872.
Act IX of 1872	The Indian Contract Act, 1872.
Act V of 1881	The Probate and Administration Act, 1881.
Act IX of 1887	The Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, 1887.
Act VI of 1888	The Debtors Act, 1888.
Act VII of 1889	The Succession Certificate Act, 1889.
Act V of 1908	The Code of Civil Procedure, 1908.
Act IX of 1908	The Indian Limitation Act, 1908.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 11th March 1909.

No. 1383-*F. O. & A.*—Sir Richard Morris Dane, K.C.I.E., I.C.S., Inspector General of Excise and Salt in India, is, with effect from the 16th of April, 1909, granted privilege leave for 2 months and 16 days in conjunction with special leave for 3 months and 14 days.

J. S. MESTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 10th March 1909.

No. 440-*Accts.*—The tenure of the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel T. A Harrison, I.A., Controller of Military Accounts, is extended to the 31st March 1911.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 461-*Accts.*—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Captain A. W. Dalday, Indian Army, Military Accountant, 4th class, Military Accounts Department, (m. c.) for 3 months.

R. A. MANT,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

INDUSTRIES.

Calcutta, the 9th March 1909.

No. 1972-5.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (3), of the Indian Tea Cess Act, 1903 (IX of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased, on the recommendation of the Dooars Planters' Association to appoint Mr. A. W. C. Chaplain of Sam Sing Tea Estate to fill the vacancy on the Indian Tea Cess Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. W. Alston.

TELEGRAPHS.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 2085-44.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following rules shall, with effect from the 1st April 1909, be substituted for the rules bearing the same numbers published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, No. 298 (Telegraphs), dated the 22nd September 1904, namely :—

Rule 103.—The charge for collation is equal to one-fourth the charge for the telegram, fractions of half an anna being reckoned as half an anna.

Rule 278.—The charge for collation is equal to one-fourth of that of a telegram of the same length by the same route, fractions of half an anna being reckoned as half an anna.

TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENT.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 2083-58.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion and reversions in the superior establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department with effect from the dates specified :—

Names.	From	To	Nature of promotion or reversion.	With effect from
Mr E. A. Kenyon . .	Chief Superintendent, 2nd class.	Chief Superintendent, 1st class.	Temporary .	16th February 1909.
Mr. H. S. Olphert . .	Chief Superintendent, 1st class, temporary.	Chief Superintendent, 2nd class.	Reversion .	Ditto.
Mr. H. S. Styan . .	Chief Superintendent, 2nd class, temporary.	Superintendent, 1st grade.	Ditto .	Ditto.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 2090-1.—Mr. T. H. Potts, an Inspector in the Bombay Customs Preventive Service, is appointed to act as Third Assistant Collector of Customs, Bombay, sub. *pro tem*, with effect from the 3rd February 1909, and until further orders, *vice* Mr. E. Sequeira.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 220.—The services of Major T. C. Browning, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General, North-West Frontier Province, for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

No. 221.—The services of Major F. S. Walker, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, are placed at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

No. 222.—The services of Major R. W. Burton, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

COMMANDS.

No. 223.—Major-General W. R. Kenyon, Slaney, C.B., British Service, to be a Brigade Commander, *vice* Major-General C. W. Park, C.B., vacated.—Dated 23rd February 1909.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 224.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

8th February 1909.

Herbert Flamstead Walters, Commandant, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

1st March 1909.

Henry Churnside Beaumont Dann, Commandant, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry.

10th March 1909.

John Manners Smith, V.C., C.I.E., Supernumerary List.
Hon'ble Sir Arthur Henry McMahon, K.C.I.E., C.S.I., Supernumerary List.
Arthur Edwin Stewart Hartigan, 35th Scinde Horse.
Robert Worgan Falcon, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Edward Alexander Gayer, Supply and Transport Corps.
Sydney Francis Crocker, 9th Hodson's Horse.
George Wyndham Chichester Knatchbull, 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Lawrence Impey, Supernumerary List.
John Archer Loudon, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.
Henry George Bowen Raitt, Cantonment Magistrates' Department.
Adrian John Hebron Vanrenen, 8th Cavalry.

Captains to be Majors.

4th March 1909.

Arthur Leslie Jacob, Supernumerary List.
Hugh William Fothergill Cooke, 24th Punjabis.
Francis DeBerckem Hancock, Supernumerary List.
James William Milne, 82nd Punjabis.
Frank Hay Norie, 6th Gurkha Rifles.
Josiah Howard Hudson, Military Accounts Department.
Wilfred Marshall Guthrie-Smith, 10th Gurkha Rifles.
Maxwell Hume Henderson, 26th Prince of Wales's Own Light Cavalry.
Frederick Charles Tregear, 16th Rajputs (The Lucknow Regiment).
Alfred Beckett Minchin, C.I.E., Supernumerary List.
Walter John William Brackenbury, 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Gwyn Thomas, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).

Lieutenants to be Captains.

1st March 1909.

Harold John Hunter Davson, 74th Punjabis.
William Pulteney Michael Dalzell McLaughlin, 107th Pioneers.
Frederick Sinclair Lindesay, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

2nd March 1909.

Herbert Frederic Collingridge, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

7th March 1909.

Kenneth Eric Kirkpatrick, 3rd Brahmans.
Harold Thomason Carew Ivens, 26th Punjabis.
Alfred Ernest Mahon, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
William Raymond Daniell, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

9th March 1909.

Alexander McCulloch Jameson, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

No. 225.—In Army Department Notification No. 205 of 1909 *for* "George Clarke Deuton, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzai Regiment)" *read* "George Clarke Denton, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzai Regiment)".

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

BENGAL-PUNJAB LIST.

No. 226.—Sergeant William Green to be Sub-Conductor, *vice* Sub-Conductor Edward Vincent Robley, deceased, with effect from the 25th February 1909.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 227.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Narayan Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force). Dated 1st March 1909.

No. 228.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Prakas Rae, *Sardar Bahadur*, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry). Dated 1st February 1909.

No. 229.—The following promotions are made:—

6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.

Kot-Dafadar Sheoji Ram to be Jemadar, *vice* Mawasi Ram, promoted; with effect from the 30th December 1908.

38th Prince of Wales's Own Central India Horse.

Dafadar Ajit Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Sundar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st January 1909.

Jemadar Amar Singh to be Ressaidar and Kot-Dafadar Hyat Gul Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Ganda Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 10th January 1909.

Kot-Dafadar Harnam Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Kesar Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 10th January 1909.

Dafadar Bhola Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Mohan Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 15th January 1909.

2nd Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.

Subadar Devasahayam to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Ramasing to be Subadar, and Havildar Venkatasami to be Jemadar, *vice* Chinnasami, *Sardar Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 8th February 1909.

54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Kehar Singh to be Subadar, *vice* Kaka Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th December 1908.

Havildar Pakhar Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Ratan Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th December 1908.

Jemadar Hukam Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Galodu to be Jemadar, *vice* Tulsi Ram, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 21st December 1908.

97th Deccan Infantry.

Jemadar Lachman Singh to be Subadar, and Colour-Havildar Bhagwan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Baldeo Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th January 1909.

2nd Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Jemadar Asram Gurung to be Subadar and Havildar Dhanbir to be Jemadar, *vice* Birbhan Rai, deceased, with effect from the 11th February 1909.

2nd Battalion, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Bagbir Thapa to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Hira Sing Ale to be Jemadar, *vice* Dalbir Gurung, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

Jemadar Biraj Gurung to be Subadar and Havildar Dhanbir Thapa to be Jemadar, *vice* Badal Sing Gurung, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 230.—The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval; with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel Hugh Claude Edward Lucas, Indian Army,—25th January 1909.

Colonel Leslie Charles Fryer, 45th Rattray's Sikhs,—25th April 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 231.—Commander Eaton Wallace Petley, C.I.E., Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, V.D. (late Navigating Lieutenant, Royal Navy), Commandant, resigns his commission. Dated 31st March 1909.

Surma Valley Light Horse.

No. 232.—Second-Lieutenant William Kersling Green to be Lieutenant, *vice* Meredith transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st January 1909.

Nagpur Volunteer Rifles.

No. 233.—Henry Vernon Drake-Brockman, I.C.S., to be Captain, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 25th January 1909.

Second-Lieutenant Thomas George Green to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 25th January 1909.

Powys Davies to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 25th January 1909.

1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.

No. 234.—Lieutenant James Alexander Clarke, V.D. (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission, and is, on retirement, permitted to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 26th December 1907.

Allahabad Volunteer Rifles.

No. 235.—Lieutenant Augustin Francis Filose to be Captain, to complete the establishment. Dated 11th January 1909.

Second-Lieutenant John Morris Whitting resigns his commission. Dated 12th January 1909.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 236.—Colonel Clement Alfred Rigby Browne, R.E., to be Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* Cowie, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 12th December 1908.

Agra Volunteer Rifles.

No. 237.—Philip Fielder Holland to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 31st January 1909.

North Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 238.—Cecil Napier Naylon to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Wrench promoted. Dated 8th February 1909.

Poona Volunteer Rifles.

No. 239.—Neil Boyd Macmillan to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Sparrow, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 21st December 1908.

Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles.

No. 240.—Captain Robert Glen, 2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles is transferred to the Eastern Bengal Volunteer Rifles, and promoted to the rank of Major Dated 1st November 1908.

James Donald to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st January 1909.

JUDICIAL.

INDIAN ARTICLES OF WAR.

No. 241.—In pursuance of the powers conferred by Article 1, sub-article (3), of the Indian Articles of War (Act V of 1869), as amended by the Indian Articles of War Amendment Act, 1894 (XII of 1894), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in G. G. O. No. 568, dated the 31st May 1895, as subsequently amended, namely:—

For the forms of attestation, the following shall be substituted:—

Soldiers and reservists.

ATTESTATION OF

N_____ Name_____, Corps_____

rolledat _____ on the_____

Questions to be put before attestation.

1. What is your name?_____ 1._____
2. What is your father's name?_____ 2._____
3. What is your village, thana, $\frac{\text{pergunnah}}{\text{tehsil}}$, and district?_____ 3. Village_____ Thana_____ $\frac{\text{Pergunnah}}{\text{Tehsil}}$_____ District_____
4. What is your age?_____ 4._____ years_____

You are warned that if after attestation it is found that you have wilfully given a false answer to any of the following six questions you will be liable to trial by court-martial.

5. What is your religion, class and tribe?_____ 5._____
6. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment by the civil power?_____ 6._____
7. Do you now belong to His Majesty's Indian Forces or to the reserve?_____ 7._____
8. Have you ever served in His Majesty's Indian Forces or in the reserve? If so, state in which, and cause of *discharge?_____ 8._____
9. Have you ever been summarily dismissed or discharged from any part of His Majesty's Indian Forces, or by sentence of court-martial?_____ 9._____
10. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous service_____ 10._____

*The recruit should be asked to produce his discharge certificate.

Conditions of service.

1. You must go wherever † ordered by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your military duty.

2. You will be liable to general service in that you may, by order, be permanently transferred to any corps of the group to which the corps in which you are serving belongs.

† Not applicable to telegraph linesmen of the Aden section of the submarine mining corps.

3. When you have served three years in a native corps or five years in the submarine mining corps from the date of attestation, you will, wherever serving, be entitled to receive your discharge within two months from the date of applying for it, provided that—

(*a*) war is not imminent or existing;

(*b*) the company to which you belong is not ten per cent. below strength;

(*c*) if you are a bandsman, trumpeter, drummer, bugler, artificer, armourer, mochi, or engine driver in any unit except the submarine mining corps, you cannot claim your discharge until you have served ten years as such; if you are a schoolmaster, clerk, farrier, or tailor, until you have served five years as such; if you are a surveyor, until you have served fifteen years from the date of attestation.

4. When called out for service or training you must present yourself at the time and place prescribed (*for reservists only*).

5. Subject to the condition noted below, you will be entitled to your discharge at any time except when war is imminent or existing. If you wish to take your discharge before you have served two years in the reserve, you will be required *before being granted such discharge*, to refund the cost of the passage to your home granted to you when you were transferred to the reserve, or the amount expended on passage when you were enrolled in the reserve (*for reservists only*).

6. You must not leave India without the permission of your Commanding Officer, and you must at once inform him of any change of your address in India (*for reservists only*).

(A) In the case of the attestation of a man enrolled on the active establishment of a corps or of a man enrolled on a reserve establishment.

(A) I_____ do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true. I accept conditions $\frac{1, 2, 3 \text{ (soldier)}}{1, 2, 4, 5, 6, \text{ (reservist)}}$, and am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

Signature of $\frac{\text{soldier}}{\text{reservist}}$

Signature of witness

(B) In the case of a person transferred from an active to a reserve establishment, or re-enrolled in a rese rve establishment

(B) I_____ accept conditions 4, 5 and 6, and am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

NOTE.—A person transferred to or re-enrolled in the reserve serves on his original attestation so far as conditions 1 and 2 are concerned.

_____ Signature of person enrolled in the reserve

_____ Signature of witness

Oath (or affirmation) to be taken by a recruit and by a man enrolled on a reserve establishment.

* Solemnly affirm (if Christian or Sikh, swear).

I_____, do* _____ that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty the King, His heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in His Majesty's Indian Forces and go wherever I may be ordered by land or sea, and that I will observe an obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life.

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The above-named was cautioned by me that if he made a false answer to any of the six questions concerned he would be liable to trial by court-martial. The questions were then read to the man in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question and that his answer to each question has been entered as replied to. He has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at _____ on this _____ day of _____ 190 .

Signature of attesting officer.†

† The following officers may attest recruits :—The O. C. a cavalry, artillery, or infantry unit, a corps of sappers and miners, a military railway company, a company or the Aden section of the submarine mining corps; failing these, the recruit must be taken before a magistrate.

Non-Combatants.

ATTESTATION OF

No. _____ Name _____ $\frac{\text{Corps}}{\text{Department}}$ _____

Enrolled at _____ on the _____

for employment as a _____

Questions to be put before attestation.

1. What is your name? _____ 1. _____

2. What is your father's name? _____ 2. _____

3. What is your village, thana, $\frac{\text{pergunnah}}{\text{tehsil}}$, and district? _____

3. Village _____ Thana _____ Pergunnah / Tehsil _____ District _____

4. What is your age? _____ 4. _____ years

You are warned that if after attestation it is found that you have wilfully given a false answer to any of the following six questions you will be liable to trial by court-martial.

5. What is your religion, class, and tribe? _____ 5. _____

6. Have you ever been sentenced to imprisonment by the civil power? _____ 6. _____

7. Do you now belong to any corps or department of His Majesty's Indian Forces or to the reserve? _____ 7. _____

8. Have you ever served in any corps or department of His Majesty's Indian Forces or in the reserve? If so, state in which, and cause of *discharge? 8._____

9. Have you ever been summarily dismissed or discharged from any part of His Majesty's Indian Forces or by sentence of court-martial? 9._____

10. Have you truly stated the whole, if any, of your previous service? 10._____

*The man should be asked to produce his discharge certificate.

Conditions of service.

1. You must go wherever ordered by land or sea, and allow no caste usages to interfere with your duty.

2 You will be liable to general service, in that you may be transferred to any other unit or branch of the corps or department for which attested. [This does not apply to langris (cooks), langri-bhistis (cooks' water-carriers) and bhistis (*i*) of the Quartermaster's establishment in units of the native army, (*ii*) of the Royal Artillery.]

3. You will be required to serve the period specified below for the class and corps or department in which you are being attested, or to which you may thereafter be appointed, before being entitled to your discharge, which will then be granted within two months from the date of applying for it, provided that war is not existing nor imminent, and that any other condition delaying discharge prescribed for your class does not exist at the time.

I.—Supply and Transport Corps active list.

(*a*) Veterinary dafadars; attendants of mules, ponies and bullocks, engaged in India for service in Burma with Army Transport,—three years.

(*b*) All classes not otherwise specified,—six years.

(*c*) Silladar surwans of Camel Corps,—seven years.

(*d*) Shoeing-smiths, saddlers, carpenters, blacksmiths, hammermen and bellowsmen,—twelve years.

Special Conditions.—The grant of discharge under classes (a), (b), (c) and (d) is further subject to the establishment of the Supply and Transport Corps or of the unit to which the person belongs not being 10 per cent. below its authorised strength.

II.—Supply and Transport Corps reservists.

(*e*) Veterinary dafadars,—five years.

(*f*) Shoeing-smiths, saddlers, carpenters, blacksmiths, hammermen and bellowsmen,—six years.

(*g*) Drivers,—three years.

III.—Army Bearer and Army Hospital Corps.

(*h*) *All classes—three years, but the grant of discharge is further subject to the establishment not being 10 per cent. below its authorised strength, and that exceptional sickness is not prevailing.*

IV.—British units, native mountain batteries, and non-silladar cavalry regiments.

(*i*) Syces,—six years.

V.—Corps and departments.

(*j*) Fort armament lascars; ordnance department lascars employed in arsenals and depôts; storemen (artillery),—until attaining the age of 55 years or until lawfully released from the service.

(*k*) Packers, cutlers, sikligars, tinsmiths, carpenters, writers and compounders, of the medical stores department,—may take their discharge at any time provided war is not imminent or existing.

(*l*) Langris (cooks), langri-bhistis (cooks' water-carriers) and bhistis of either the Quartermaster's establishment in units of the native army or the Royal Artillery,—six years.

4. When called out for training, service, or muster, you must present yourself at the time and place prescribed (for reservists only).

I_____ do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true. I accept conditions 1, 2* and 3, also 4 if attested for immediate or future service in the reserve, and am willing to fulfil the engagements made.

* Not applicable to the persons referred to in (*l*) above.

_____ _____

Signature of witness. *Signature of person under attestation.*

Oath (or affirmation) to be taken by the person under attestation.

I_____, do† _____ that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty the King, His heirs and successors, and that I will, as in duty bound, honestly and faithfully serve in His Majesty's Indian Forces and go wherever I may be ordered by land or sea, and that I will observe and obey all commands of any officer set over me even to the peril of my life.

† Solemnly affirm (if a Christian or Sikh swear).

CERTIFICATE OF MAGISTRATE OR ATTESTING OFFICER.

The above-named was cautioned by me that if he made a false answer to any of the six questions concerned he would be liable to trial by court-martial. The questions were then read to the man in my presence.

I have taken care that he understands each question, and that his answer to each question has been entered as replied to. He has made and signed the declaration and taken the oath before me at_____on this_____day of_____ 19 .

Signature of attesting officer.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned Warrant Officers on the dates specified, were received in the Army Department between the 3rd and 9th March 1909:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Supply and Transport Corps.	Sub-Conductor Edward Vincent Robley.	24th February 1909.	Kohat		
Ordnance Department.	Conductor John Nolan	5th March 1909.	Quetta.		

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.

Fort William, the 12th March 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 13.—The term of appointment to the Ordnance Department in India of Lieutenant S. R. Reeves, R.A., is extended for five years, with effect from the 14th March 1909.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 8.—Chief Engineer D. J. Taylor, Royal Indian Marine, is appointed Inspector of Machinery, Kidderpore Dockyard, *vice* Chief Engineer W. Torrie, Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 28th February 1909.

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel*,
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 9th March 1909.

No. 80.—Mr. F. A. Hince, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in Class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in Class II of that Establishment with effect from the 1st February 1909 and until further orders.

The 10th March 1909.

No. 81.— Mr. F. D. Kiernander, Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is granted combined leave for six months (privilege leave due and special leave on urgent private affairs for the remaining period) under Articles 233 (ii) and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 24th March 1909 or subsequent date of relief.

No. 82.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 81, dated the 10th March 1909, Mr. J. H. Murray, Officiating Deputy Traffic Superintendent, is appointed to officiate as Traffic Superintendent of the Eastern Bengal State Railway, *vice* Mr. Kiernander and until further orders.

No. 83.—Mr. T. W. E. S. Wrench, Assistant Locomotive Superintendent, North Western Railway, in Class III, grade I, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Locomotive Superintendent on that Railway with effect from the 12th February 1909, *vice* Mr. H. H. Spalding on combined leave. Mr. Wrench will officiate in Class II during the privilege leave portion of Mr. Spalding's leave and thereafter hold temporary rank in Class II, grade 4.

No. 84.—Mr. R. H. Dracott Lacey, Travelling Auditor, is transferred from the Eastern Bengal State Railway to the North Western Railway.

The 12th March 1909.

No. 85.—Mr. F. Goodwin of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Locomotive Department, whose services are lent to the Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Company, is permitted to retire from the service of Government, under the provisions of Article 650 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 26th March 1909.

No. 86.—Mr. F. D. Fowler, Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, is granted privilege leave due combined with furlough on medical certificate for ten months and seventeen days under Articles 233, 260 and 311 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th March 1909, or subsequent date of relief.

No. 87.—With reference to Notification No. 86, dated the 12th March 1909. Mr. W. Nathan, Officiating Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 3, is appointed to officiate as Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, until further orders.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Calcutta, the 19th March 1909.

No. 395.—The services of Mr. H. Wheeler, of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bengal.

No. 397.—The services of Mr. W. S. Meyer, C.I.E., of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Finance Department, with effect from the date on which he resumes charge of his office in that Department.

MEDICAL.

The 13th March 1909.

No. 289.—The services of Colonel H. St. C. Carruthers, I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Madras.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 534.—Whereas the Governor General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Hampi in the Hospet taluq of the Bellary District of the Madras Presidency, if persons from the Bombay Presidency and the Mysore State are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Sri Virupakshaswami Car Festival:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Munirabad, Hospet, Papinyakanahalli, Gadiganuru, Toranagallu, Daroji and Kudatini on the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway shall be sold from the 23rd March to the 5th April 1909 (both days inclusive) within the Bombay Presidency and the Mysore State to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Sri Virupakshaswami Car Festival at Hampi.

JAILS.

The 16th March 1909.

No. 95.—The services of Captain C. E. Palmer, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces for employment in the Jail Department.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 99.—The undermentioned officer is granted privilege leave for two months and five days and leave out of India for nine months and twenty-five days, in continuation, from 22nd September 1908 under the leave rules of 1886 for the Indian Army:—

Captain I. M. Macrae, I.M.S., late officiating Superintendent, Agra Central Jail Pension service 5th year commenced 1st September 1908.

JUDICIAL.

The 17th March 1909.

No. 424.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Brett having been granted furlough from the 27th March to the 2nd September 1909, both days inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C.104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Richardson, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to act as a Judge of the said Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Brett, or until further orders.

No. 425.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Holmwood having been granted furlough from the 27th March to the 2nd September 1909, both days inclusive, the Governor General in Council is pleased, under the provisions of the Indian High Courts Act, 1861 (24 and 25 Vict., C. 104), section 7, to appoint the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Vincent, at present acting as a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal, to act as a Judge of the said Court during the absence of the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Holmwood, or until further orders.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 437.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 4 of the Punjab Court Act, 1884 (XVIII of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following appointments in the Chief Court of the Punjab during the absence on leave of the Hon'ble Mr. A. Kensington, a Judge of that Court, or until further orders:—

The Hon'ble Mian Muhammad Shah Din, Khan Bahadur, Bar.-at-Law, temporary Additional Judge of the Chief Court, to act as a Judge;

Mr. A. William, I.C.S., Revenue and Judicial Commissioner, Baluchistan, to act as temporary Additional Judge.

No. 440.—Mr. W. H. H. Vincent, I.C.S., took his seat as an acting Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 15th March 1909.

POLICE.

The 15th March 1909.

No. 278.—The services of Lieutenant H. B. F. Wilcox, 91st Punjabis, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma for employment in the Burma Military Police, with effect from the 4th April 1909.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 17th March 1909.

No. 115.—The Reverend B. Kitchin, a senior chaplain on the Bengal (Nagpur) ecclesiastical establishment, is permitted to retire from the service with effect from the 7th March 1909.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 121.—The Reverend G. H. Seeley, a junior chaplain on the Bengal (Rangoon) ecclesiastical establishment is promoted to be a senior chaplain, with effect from the 27th December 1908.

EDUCATION.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 223.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section 3, of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to approve of the following elections of Ordinary Fellows by the Faculties of Arts and Science, respectively:—

Elected by the Faculty of Arts.

Mr. A. Thomson, M.A.

Babu Heramba Chandra Maitra, M.A.

Elected by the Faculty of Science.

Dr. E. P. Harrison, Ph.D.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

METEOROLOGY.

Calcutta, the 19th March 1909.

No. 679-12-7.—Mr. C. W. Peake, M.A., Meteorologist, Calcutta, is granted leave without pay for nine months with effect from the 20th March 1909 or subsequent date.

No. 680-12-7.—Dr. E. P. Harrison, Ph.D., Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta, is appointed to be Meteorologist, Calcutta, during the absence on leave of Mr. Peake or until further orders.

LAND SURVEYS.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 289-39-2.—Lieutenant-Colonel J. M. Fleming, I.A., Assistant Surveyor General and Superintendent, 1st grade, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 21 days combined with special leave for 5 months and 9 days under Articles 233, 260 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 16th April 1909 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 16th March 1909.

No. 28.—Mr. A. F. L. H. Harrison, Assistant Engineer, is appointed to the charge of the current duties of the office of Sanitary Engineer to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam with effect from the 9th March 1909, during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. C. E. Housden.

The 17th March 1909.

No. 29.—The undermentioned Royal Engineer Officers are temporarily appointed to the Public Works Department as Assistant Engineers in the grade noted against their names and are posted to the United Provinces:—

Lieutenant H. C. Pollock, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, Buildings and Roads Branch.

Lieutenant W. de H. Haig, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, Buildings and Roads Branch.

Lieutenant C. D. W. Bamberger, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, Irrigation Branch.

Lieutenant A. E. J. Collins, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, Irrigation Branch.

The 18th March 1909.

No. 30.—Mr. G. T. Barlow, Executive Engineer, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer with effect from the 2nd January 1909 and until further orders.

No. 31.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to order the following reversion and promotion in the Chief Engineer classes of the Public Works Department with effect from the 5th December 1908:—

Names.	From	To
Goument, C. E. V. . .	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, *permanent.*	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, *temporary.*
Thomson, A. S. . . .	Officiating Chief Engineer . .	Chief Engineer, 2nd class, *permanent.*

ELECTRICITY.

The 18th March 1909.

No. 32.—The following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue under section 33 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1903 (III of 1903), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby. Any objection or suggestion which may be received before the 30th June 1909 will be duly considered.

Draft Notification.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 33 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1903 (III of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments be made in Rule 45 of the Rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, No. 481 (Telegraphs), dated the 23rd December 1903, namely:—

1. Rule 45 shall be renumbered as rule 45 (1).
2. In Rule 45 (1) as so renumbered the word 'underground' shall be inserted before the words 'service lines'.
3. After Rule 45 (1) as so renumbered, the following shall be inserted as sub-rule (2) namely:—

(2) High-pressure ærial service lines on a consumer's premises shall be protected throughout, or at each end of each span, by a device for rendering such lines electrically harmless in case of breakage.

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 15th March 1909.

No. 798-*Est.* — r. J. H. R. Fraser, a Political Assistant of the 2nd class, is placed temporarily on special duty as Additional Divisional and Sessions Judge, Derajat Division, with effect from the 17th February 1909.

The 16th March 1909.

No. 809-*Est.* —The services of Mr. P. L. Moore, of the Indian Civil Service, Madras Establishment, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 26th February 1909.

No. 815-*Est.* —Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. B. Robinson, Indian Medical Service (*Bengal*), an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class and Civil Surgeon of Bikaner, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Residency Surgeon in the Western States of Rajputana, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 28th January 1909, and until further orders.

The 17th March 1909.

No. 825-*Est.* —Mr. J. H. R. Fraser, a Political Assistant of the 2nd class, is granted privilege leave for two months, combined with special leave for four months, under the provisions of Articles 233 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 3rd March 1909.

No. 572-*I. B.* —In continuation of the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 3798-I., dated the 30th October 1893, the Viceroy and Governor General is pleased to regrant to Thakur Hukm Tej Partab Singh, of Partabner, in the Etawah District of the United Provinces, the hereditary title of Raja.

No. 675-*G.* —With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsieur L. Grezoux as Honorary Vice-Consul for Spain at Calcutta.

No. 687-*G.* —With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. J. Lincé as Vice-Consul for Belgium at Calcutta.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 708-*G.* —The Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. C. Tian as Acting Consular Agent for France at Aden during the absence of Mr. Ries.

No. 845-*Est.* —Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. Kaye, a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is granted privilege leave for two months and seven days, combined with furlough for one year, 5 months and 23 days, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 10th March 1909.

No. 848-*Est.* —Mr. H. Y. Langhorne is appointed to be an Assistant Master in the Daly College, Indore, with effect from the 8th March 1909.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 13th March 1909.

No. 1439-*F. O. & A.*—The following promotions in the Account Department are notified:—

With effect from the 5th of February 1909,

Mr. V. C. Scott-O'Connor to act in class I of the Enrolled List.

With effect from the 24th of February 1909,

Rai Nritya Gopal Basu Bahadur to act in class I instead of in class II of the Enrolled List.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 1571-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. J. Davidson, Assistant Accountant General and Examiner of Local Fund Accounts, United Provinces, is, with effect from the 26th of February 1909, granted privilege leave for 1 month and 14 days in conjunction with furlough on medical certificate for 6 months and 16 days.

Mr. A. C. Anthony is posted as Assistant Accountant General and Examiner of Local Fund Accounts, United Provinces, with effect from the 26th of February 1909.

No. 1572-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. A. C. Gupta is appointed to officiate as Deputy Comptroller, Post Office, Calcutta, with effect from the 5th February 1909, or until further orders.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

OPIUM.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 1569-*Exc.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Opium Act, 1878 (I of 1878), and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department No. 3695-Ex., dated the 19th June 1903, as amended by Finance Department Notification No. 738-Exc., dated the 8th February 1909, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that duty at the rate of R6 per seer shall be levied, with effect from the 1st April 1909, upon all opium imported into the North-West Frontier Province:

Provided that the said duty shall not be leviable in respect of—

(*a*) Poppy heads, or

(*b*) Opium on which duty has already been paid in the Punjab.

No. 1570-*Exc.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6 of the Opium Act, 1878 (I of 1878), and in supersession of the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance and Commerce Department No. 3694-Ex., dated the 19th June 1903, as amended by Finance Department Notifications Nos. 4220-Exc., and 1257-Exc., dated, respectively, the 18th July 1908 and the 5th March 1909, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that duty at the rate of R6 per seer shall be levied, with effect from the 1st April 1909, upon all opium imported into the Punjab:

Provided that the said duty shall not be leviable in respect of—

(*a*) Poppy heads,

(*b*) Opium produced in the Hill States of the Punjab, or

(*c*) Opium on which duty has already been paid in the North-West Frontier Province.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

ESTIMATES AND ACCOUNTS.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 969-A.— *Monthly Preliminary Statement of Receipts and Payments at Civil Treasuries in India.*

February 1909.

Lakhs of Rupees.

	Feby.		To end of Feby.		Whole year.	
Civil Revenue.	1908-1909.	1907-1908.	1908-1909.	1907-1908.	Budget, 1908-1909.	Actuals, 1907-1908.
Land Revenue (including Land Revenue due to Irrigation)	5,06	4,72	23,50	22,38	31,55	29,69
Opium	51	62	8,35	7,16	7,26	7,87
Salt	32	34	4,21	4,45	5,10	5,01
Stamps	52	50	5,71	5,63	6,54	6,30
Excise	82	83	8,56	8,37	9,58	9,31
Provincial Rates	3	38	71	2,83	80	3,50
Customs	59	72	6,51	6,69	7,50	7,51
Assessed Taxes	17	16	1,97	1,92	2,13	2,10
Forest	21	26	1,90	2,01	2,77	2,60
Registration	5	5	58	56	65	62
Tributes from Native States	5	7	65	63	93	88
Other Civil Revenue	35	70	3,16	4,66	4,41	5,76
TOTAL CIVIL REVENUE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT: GROSS	8,71	9,35	65,81	67,29	79,22	81,24
Civil Expenditure.						
Interest on Ordinary Debt and that on Railways and Irrigation Works	−53	−47	−4,50	−4,37	−4,35	−4,26
Opium	−2	−6	−1,84	−2,46	−2,23	−2,50
Famine Relief	−1	−10	−91	−20	−61	−37
Other Civil Expenditure	−2,84	−3,05	−31,62	−31,48	−36,75	−38,00
TOTAL CIVIL EXPENDITURE DIRECTLY BROUGHT TO ACCOUNT: GROSS	−3,40	−3,68	−38,87	−38,51	−43,94	−45,13
Receipts into Civil Treasuries from, and issues from those Treasuries to, the following Non-Civil Departments:						
[The figures comprise Revenue, Expenditure, and Debt and Remittance transactions.]						
Post Office (Net: + Receipts more, − Receipts less than issues)	+5	+1	+11	+79	+62	+92
Marine	−4	−2	−35	−33	−34	−33
Military Receipts	+4	+9	+98	+71	+91	+99
Military Issues	−1,83	−1,86	−19,14	−18,36	−21,18	−20,54
Public Works Department—						
Receipts.						
Ordinary Branches	+74	+63	+4,48	+4,05	+5,28	+4,64
State Railways	+3,11	+3,27	+31,17	+32,39	+46,77	+44,45
East Indian Railway	+56	+60	+6,20	+6,43		
Guaranteed and Subsidized Railways (Net as above)	...	+1	...	+55	...	+56
Telegraph	+5	+9	+56	+90	+1,01	+1,02
TOTAL	+4,46	+4,60	+42,41	+44,32	+53,06	+50,67
Issues.						
Ordinary Branches	−1,10	−1,43	−11,52	−11,58	−14,48	−14,21
State Railways	−1,85	−2,29	−23,37	−21,91	−26,81	−29,03
East Indian Railway	−30	−28	−3,59	−3,56		
Repayment of Guaranteed Railways surplus profits, etc.	...	...	...	−1	...	−2
Telegraph	−12	−10	−1,14	−1,10	−1,26	−1,29
TOTAL	−3,37	−4,10	−39,62	−38,16	−42,55	−44,55
TOTAL NON-CIVIL DEPARTMENTS	−69	−1,28	−15,61	−11,03	−9,48	−12,84
Civil Debt and Remittance Transactions.						
Permanent Debt and Special Loans (Net: + Receipts more,—Receipts less than payments)	...	...	+1,78	+2,37	+2,87	+2,37
Mint Certificates and bullion Advances (Net as above)	+7	−24	+25	+1,91	...	+1,91
Currency Transfers for Gold in England	...	...	−3,31	...	−2,25	−3,60
Currency Transfers for Silver in transit	...	...	−10	...	...	+0,90
Sale of Demand Drafts on London	...	...	...	...	...	...
Exchange and Remittance Accounts	...	−2	+4,50	+11	...	−3
Temporary Advance from Gold Standard Reserve	+75	...	...	...	...	...
Council Bills paid (including Telegraphic) at ₹15 per £	−4,24	−1,97	−17,75	−22,28	−26,98	−22,83
Other debt heads (Net as above)	+30	−2	−3,21	−43	−10	−4,20
TOTAL DEBT AND REMITTANCE TRANSACTIONS	−3,12	−2,25	−17,84	−17,46	−26,46	−19,48
GRAND TOTAL RECEIPTS AND ISSUES	+1,50	+2,14	−6,51	+29	−6	+3,79
Opening Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	11,27	13,64	19,28	15,49	18,96	15,49
Closing Cash Balance in Treasuries and Presidency Banks	12,77	15,78	12,77	15,78	18,30	19,28

J. S. MESTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 17th March 1909.

No. 494-*Accts.*—The following reversions and officiating appointments of Deputy Examiners of the Military Accounts Department are made, with effect from the dates specified:—

I.—From the 10th October 1908, the date of Mr. H. C. DuBois's transfer to the Western Circle.

Mr. H. C. DuBois, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, to revert to his substantive appointment.

Mr. C. St. C. Cameron to officiate as Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade.

II.—From the 29th October 1908, the date of Mr. T. Smith's return from leave.

Mr. J. Windsor, officiating Deputy Examiner, 1st grade, to revert to Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade.

Mr. A. G. Norman, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, to revert to his substantive appointment.

III.—From the 7th November 1908, the date of Mr. J. Delaney's return from leave.

Mr. R. Hessey, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, to revert to his substantive appointment.

IV.—From the 4th January 1909, the date of Mr. J. Delaney's departure on leave.

Mr. R. Hessey to officiate as Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade.

V.—From the 29th January 1909, the date of Mr. J. Gainsford's return from leave.

Mr. R. J. Blaikie, officiating Deputy Examiner, 1st grade, to revert to Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade.

Mr. C. St. C. Cameron, officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, to revert to his substantive appointment.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 510-*Accts.*—Captain W. V. Richards, Indian Army, Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class, Military Accounts Department, is granted combined leave out of India (p. a.) for 8 months, from or after the 19th April 1909, the first 60 days being privilege leave and the remaining period leave under the leave rules of 1886 for the Indian Army—Pension service 13th year commenced, 20th February 1909.

No. 512-*Accts.*—Mr. R. H. Rolfe, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, Military Accounts Department, and officiating Military Assistant Accountant General, is confirmed in the latter appointment with effect from the 1st April 1909, *vice* Mr. E. O'Brien Smith, retired.

No. 513-*Accts.*—Mr. H. R. Grinnol, Deputy Examiner, supernumerary, and officiating Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, Military Accounts Department, is confirmed in the latter appointment with effect from the 1st April 1909, *vice* Mr. Rolfe, appointed Military Assistant Accountant General.

R. A. MANT,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

RESOLUTION.

TELEGRAPHS.

Calcutta, the 16th March 1909.

No. 2165-2180—160.—Under the Resolution of the Government of India in this Department, No. 5527-5529—160, dated the 11th June 1908, members of the public are permitted to make a deposit in advance to cover the cost of the telegrams despatched by them. A commission of one per cent. is levied on the value of the telegrams in order to cover the cost of maintaining the deposit accounts.

2. The Government of India have decided that with effect from the 1st April 1909 the one per cent. commission shall be abolished, and that in its place a fee of R1 shall be levied for every 25 telegrams despatched subject to a minimum charge of R10 per annum.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution be communicated to all Chambers of Commerce and Trades Associations, to the Director General of Telegraphs and to the Examiner of Telegraph Accounts.

Ordered also that the Resolution be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 19th March 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 242.—The undermentioned officer of the Unattached List is admitted to the Indian Army, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Ronald William Barker, 13th February 1909.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 243.—The undermentioned Native Military Pupil having passed his final examination, is admitted into the service as 3rd class Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 7th January 1909 :—

No. 354 John Peter Andrews.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 244.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

15th March 1909.

Robert Postance Jackson, Supply and Transport Corps.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

14th March 1909.

Francis Stephen Bowring, 22nd Punjabis.
David George Minden Dundas, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

17th March 1909.

Frederick Ernest Koebel, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Jasper Martin, 94th Russell's Infantry.
Rochfort Vere Hunt, 123rd Outram's Rifles.

Second-Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

29th November 1908.

Ronald William Barker, 93rd Burma Infantry.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Northern Circle.

No. 245.—Sub-Conductor Frederick Merrell to be Conductor;

Sub-Conductor James Montgomery Ovens Sweny, *seconded* for service in China, to be absorbed on the effective list;

vice Conductor John Hope, deceased; with effect from the 17th November 1908.

No. 246.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain James Wilson Turner, Inspector of Explosives, *seconded*, to be Commissary, *seconded*;

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Edward Pipe, Head Overseer, Stores, Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum, *seconded*, to be Commissary, *seconded*;

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain George William Gurr, to be Commissary;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant William Hobbs, Head Overseer, Central Gun Carriage Factory, Jubbulpore, *seconded*, to be Deputy Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant James Park to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor George Arnold, Head Overseer, Inspection, Ammunition Factory, Dum Dum, *seconded*, to be Assistant Commissary, *seconded*, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Robert Sharpe to be Assistant Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor William Baker to be Conductor;

Store-Sergeant Patrick Walsh to be Sub-Conductor; *vice* Commissary and Honorary Captain Alfred William Hocking, retired; with effect from the 29th December 1908.

No. 247.—Sub-Conductor John James Francis Shortridge to be Conductor;

Store-Sergeant Isaac Wilson Richardson to be Sub-Conductor; *vice* Conductor Thomas Henry Wensley, deceased; with effect from the 28th January 1909.

Southern Circle.

No. 248.—Sub-Conductor Noel Clegg to be Conductor;

Store-Sergeant Arthur Sansom to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor Robert Belmont Turner, deceased; with effect from the 29th January 1909.

No. 249.—Sub-Conductor John Euphrates Jeffrey to be Conductor;

Store Sergeant Alfred Villiers, clerk, office of the Director-General of Ordnance in India, Simla, *seconded*, to be Sub-Conductor, *seconded*;

Store-Sergeant James Tye, Assistant Overseer, Ammunition Factory, Kirkee, *seconded*, to be Sub-Conductor, *seconded*;

Store-Sergeant Frederick Johnson to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor Robert Stone transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 13th February 1909.

No. 250.—Sub-Conductor Edwin John Bennett to be Conductor ;

Store-Sergeant James Tomlinson, clerk, office of the Inspector-General of Ordnance Factories in India, Naini Tal, *seconded*, to be Sub-Conductor, *seconded* ;

Store-Sergeant George Belville Pendery to be Sub-Conductor ;

vice Conductor John Gibson, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 14th February 1909.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 251.—The following direct appointment is made, with effect from the date of joining :—

130th Prince of Wales's Own Baluchis.

Muhammad Abbas Khan to be Jemadar, on probation, to fill an existing vacancy.

No. 252.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Risaldar-Major Tirath Ram, *Sardar Bahadur*, Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Lumsden's). Dated 1st February 1909.

No. 253.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred, on retirement, on Havildar (English Schoolmaster) Raghunath Prashad, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs. Dated 30th December 1908.

No. 254.—The following promotions are made :—

Governor-General's Body Guard.

Supernumerary Ressaidar Kehar Singh to be absorbed and Kote-Dafadar Ibni Ali to be Jemadar, *vice* Kamal-ud-din, *Sardar Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 7th February 1909.

Dafadar Jafar Hussain to be Jemadar, *vice* Himmat Khan, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 7th February 1909.

1st Battalion, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Jemadar Bahanbir Rana to be Subadar and Havildar Dhanbir Sahi to be Jemadar, *vice* Karn Sing Gurung, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

Havildar Durgamani Thapa to be Jemadar, *vice* Birbahadur Mal, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

1st Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Jemadar Jitman Gurung to be Subadar, *vice* Rajbahadur Limbu, transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles ; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

Colour-Havildar Narpati Lama to be Jemadar, *vice* Chhetradhoj Limbu, transferred to the 2nd Battalion, 10th Gurkha Rifles ; with effect from the 16th September 1908.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 255.—Lieutenant-Colonel Damodar Purshotum Warliker, Indian Medical Service, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval ; with effect from the 1st April 1909.

No. 256.—The undermentioned departmental commissioned officer with honorary rank is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval ; with effect from the date specified :—

Commissary and Honorary Captain William Chaloner, Military Works Services, and Public Works Department, India,—1st March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

United Provinces Horse.

Southern Regiment.

No. 257.—Lieutenant-Colonel (Honorary Colonel) Arthur Hills Gleadowe-Newcomen, C.I.E., Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, V.D., Commandant, late United Provinces Light Horse, to be Commandant. Dated 15th October 1908.

United Provinces Horse.

Northern Regiment.

No. 258.—Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel James Rennie (Lieutenant-Colonel, R. A. M. C., retired), Commandant, late Dehra Dun Mounted Rifles, to be Commandant. Dated 15th October 1908.

Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

No. 259.—Second-Lieutenant Alan Saunders to be Lieutenant, *vice* Nomico promoted. Dated 18th November 1908.

Bridson Kermode Goldsmith to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* Saunders promoted. Dated 18th November 1908.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 260.—Lieutenant-Colonel William Stewart Malcolm, V.D., is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 19th March 1909.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 261.—Lieutenant Thomas Adamson resigns his commission, and is, on retirement, permitted to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 28th February 1909.

Allahabad Volunteer Rifles.

No. 262.—Second-Lieutenant Albert Thomas Leonard resigns his commission. Dated 11th February 1909.

Colin Leslie Melville Smith to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 15th December 1908.

Burma Railways Volunteer Corps.

No. 263.—John Willcocks to be Commandant with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, *vice* Kincaid resigned. Dated 1st April 1909.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 19th March 1909.

Under Clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that a report of the death of the undermentioned Warrant Officer on the date specified, was received in the Army Department between the 10th and 16th March 1909:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Ordnance Department.	Sub-Conductor Ernest John Gough.	25th February 1909.	Quetta	...	...

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.

Fort William, the 19th March 1909.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 14.—The undermentioned 3rd class Assistant Surgeons, having completed seven years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 16th February 1909 :—

Archibald Percival Lopez.
Ernest Clayton Ross Fox.
Frank Herbert Gleeson.
Gilbert Henry Perkins.
John Cecil Milburn.
James Robert Foy.
George Towers Jones.
William Henry Thipthorp.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 15.—The undermentioned 2nd class Hospital Assistant, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 1st class Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 1st March 1909 :—

No. 853, Kurshed Ali Khan (E).

(E) Passed in English.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 9—His Majesty's Secretary of State for India has appointed Captain Walter Lumsden, Royal Navy, to be Director of the Royal Indian Marine, in succession to Rear Admiral G. H. Hewett, C.I.E., and with effect from 17th March 1909.

LEAVE.

No. 10.—The undermentioned officer has been granted an extension of leave by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India :—

Commander W. B. Huddleston, Royal Indian Marine, for three months (m.c.).

PROMOTIONS.

No. 11.—The following promotions are made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 28th February 1909 :—

To be Lieutenants.

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Robertson Bowers.
Sub-Lieutenant Bertram Hughes-Hallett.
Sub-Lieutenant Henry Aloysius Bruno Digby-Beste.

No. 12.—The following promotion is made in the Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 6th March 1909 :—

To be Engineer.

Assistant Engineer J. W. Mc Callan.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 13.—Commander A. Rowand, D.S.O., Royal Indian Marine, is permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 21st May 1909.

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel*,
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 16th March 1909.

No. 89.—Lieutenant Leslie M. Kent, R.E., whose services have been placed at the disposal of the Railway Board, is appointed temporarily as an Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, and posted to the North Western Railway.

The 18th March 1909.

No. 90.—Mr. J. H. Lovell, Acting Junior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 5, is granted privilege leave for 3 months, combined with furlough for 3 months, under Articles 233, 260 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 17th April 1909, or subsequent date of relief.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 95.—Messrs. T. C. Hales and W. H. Young, Assistant Traffic Superintendents, on probation in class III, grade 4, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, are confirmed in their appointments and promoted to class III, grade 3, of that Establishment, with effect from the 1st January 1909.

No. 96.—It is hereby notified for general information that the Railway Board have sanctioned a survey being made by the agency of the Bengal Dooars Railway Company for a line of railway on the metre gauge from Bagrakote, the present terminus of the Western Extension of the Bengal Dooars Railway, to Sivok on the Teesta river, a distance of about 7 miles.

2. The survey will be known as the Bagrakote-Sivok Railway Survey.

The 16th March 1909.

No. 88.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 453 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 9th March 1909.

Adoption on the Bezwada Extension Railway and on such portions of the Hyderabad-Godavari Valley Railway as are situate in British territory of the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89\text{ A.}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

Railway Board's notification No. 136, dated the 7th June 1907, and Railway Board's resolution No. 296 R. T., dated the 27th May 1907.

Railway Board's notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908, and Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908.

READ ALSO—

Letter from the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad, No. 1116, dated the 23rd February 1909.

RESOLUTION.—The Agent and Manager of His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways Company has recommended the adoption on the Bezwada Extension and Hyderabad-Godavari Valley Railways of the amendments promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 11th November 1908, in rule 12, sub-rule (4), Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), Chapter VI Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Bezwada Extension Railway, and on such portions of the Hyderabad-Godavari Valley Railway as are situate in British territory, in Railway Board's resolution No. 296 R. T., dated the 27th May 1907, read in the preamble above.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments in the said General Rules, cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Bezwada Extension Railway, and on such portions of the Hyderabad-Godavari Valley Railway as are situate in British territory.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Agent and Manager, His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways Company, (through the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad) and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 6, Bombay, for information.

The 18th March 1909.

No. 91.—The following is published for general information:—

CIRCULAR No. 476 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 12th March 1909.

Modification of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89\text{ A.}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

READ ALSO—

Railway Board's letter and memorandum Nos. 964 and 965 R. T., dated the 28th May 1908, to Railway Administrations, etc.

Letter No. 2027, dated the 28th September 1908, from the Secretary, Indian Railway Conference Association.

Railway Board's letter No. 1977 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, to the Managers, North Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand, and Eastern Bengal (State) Railways.

Railway Board's letter and memorandum Nos. 1978 and 1979 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, to Local Governments, etc.

Railway Board's notification No. 25, dated the 15th January 1909, and Railway Board's circular No. 2171 R. T., dated 11th December 1908.

RESOLUTION.—In view of the practical difficulty of always arranging for the existence of means of communication between the Guard and every passenger vehicle on a mixed train, owing to the absence of horizontal hand-rails and foot-boards on many coaches, as well as to the large proportion of unbraked and unpiped goods vehicles still running on most railways: and considering the fact that the speed of mixed trains is comparatively slow and that these trains stop at every station, the Railway Board have decided to make the provision of means of communication between the Guard and every passenger vehicle on a mixed train permissive in certain cases, instead of compulsory, as at present.

2. In exercise, therefore, of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), as in force in British India or as locally applied, and in supersession of the modification promulgated with Railway Board's resolution No. 2171 R. T., dated the 11th December 1908, and published under their notification No. 25, dated the 15th January 1909, the adoption, by the administrations of all lines of railway administered by the Government, of the modification specified in the annexure hereto in the General Rules for working open lines of railway, which were promulgated with Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89 \text{ A}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

3. The Railway Board also desire that the said modification may be brought to the notice of the administrations of the several railways not administered by the Government and which are under $\frac{\text{the control of the Local Government}}{\text{your control}}$, and that the Agents and Managers of those railways may be invited to submit formal applications for the adoption of the said modification. They also desire that the Agents and Managers of other lines will submit similar applications.

ORDER.—Ordered that this circular, with the accompanying modification, be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), and that a copy of the modified General Rule be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section; also that a copy of this circular and of its enclosure be communicated to the Local Governments, Administration and the Officers noted on the margin, for information and guidance, and to the Senior Government Inspectors of Railways, Madras, Bombay (Circles Nos. 5 and 6), Calcutta (Circles Nos. 1 and 2), Lucknow and Lahore, and the Secretary, Indian Railway Conference Association, for information.

The Governments of Bengal, the United Provinces, and Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department.
The Government of Bengal, Marine Department.
The Secretary to the Honourable the Agent to the Governor General for Rajputana, Public Works Department.
The Agents, Assam-Bengal, Barsi Light, Bengal and North-Western, Bengal Nagpur, Bombay, Baroda and Central India, Burma, East Indian, Great Indian Peninsula, Madras and Southern Mahratta, Rohilkund and Kumaon and South Indian Railway Companies.
The Agent and Manager, His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railways Company (through the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad).
The Managers and Engineers-in-Chief, Bengal Dooars, and Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railways.
The Manager and Executive Engineer, Morvi Railway.
The Chief Engineer, Cutch State Railway.
The Managers, North-Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand and Eastern Bengal (State) Railways.

[Enclosure to Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board) circular No. 476 R. T., dated the 12th March 1909.]

Modification of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I of the General Rules for working open lines of railway, promulgated with Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89 A}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

Rule 64, Chapter III.—*For this rule substitute the following rule* :—

64. No passenger train or mixed train shall be despatched from any station unless it be provided with means by which a Guard can communicate with, or get access to, every passenger carriage in the train; or the Guard can be communicated with from every passenger carriage in the train by means of an apparatus provided for this purpose.

NOTE.—In a mixed train when an unpiped vehicle intervenes between the engine and any vacuum braked coaching stock this rule will not apply.

Explanation.—A goods vehicle in which passengers are carried is not a "passenger carriage" within the meaning of this rule.

The 19th March 1909.

No. 92.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 488 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 15th March 1909.

Adoption on the Dibru-Sadiya Railway of the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89 A.}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

Railway Board's notification No. 249, dated the 4th October 1907, and Railway Board's resolution No. 1084 R. T., dated the 30th September 1907.

Railway Board's notification No. 337, dated the 19th November 1908, and Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908.

READ—

Letter No. 215 R., dated the 20th February 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department.

RESOLUTION.—The Agent and General Manager of the Assam Railways and Trading Co. has recommended the adoption on the Dibru-Sadiya Railway of the amendments, promulgated with Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 19th November 1908, in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (*a*), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Dibru-Sadiya Railway, in Railway Board's resolution No. 1084 R. T., dated the 30th September 1907, read in the preamble above.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments in the said General Rules, cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Dibru-Sadiya Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above, which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, for information.

No. 93.—The following is published for general information:—

No. 464 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 10th March 1909.

RESOLUTION.—In the Government of India Circulars No. 1 Railway, dated the 9th March 1898, and No. VII Railway, dated the 23rd December 1902, sanction was accorded to the adoption by railway administrations of risk note Forms D and G, the former intended for dangerous, explosive or combustible articles despatched at a "special reduced" or "owner's risk" rate, and the latter as an alternative to Form D, when a sender elects to enter into a general agreement, in place of executing a separate risk note for each consignment.

2. The Government of India have had under consideration the question of revising these risk note forms, with a view to throwing a greater measure of responsibility upon railways in regard to the loss of complete packages than is imposed by the existing forms. Similar alterations were recently made in risk note Forms B and H, *vide* the Resolution issued by the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 1836—1850, dated 27th February 1907.

3. The Governor-General in Council is pleased to approve, under section 72, sub-section (2, clause *b*), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890) the use of the Forms D and G appended to this Resolution by railway administrations working railways to which the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), applies, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

4. In the case of railways in Native States to which the provisions of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), have been, or may in future be, applied the Governor-General in Council is also pleased to approve the use of these forms from the 1st April 1909, or from any later date on which the Indian Railways Act may be applied.

ORDER.—Ordered that a copy of this Resolution, and of its enclosures, be communicated to the Local Governments and Administrations and to the officers noted on the margin, for information and guidance, and to the Governments of Madras, Bombay, the Punjab and Burma, the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad, the Honourable the Chief Commissioners of the Central Provinces and of Ajmer-Merwara, the Honourable the Agent to the Governor-General in Baluchistan, the Accountant General, Public Works Department, and to the Foreign Department and the Department of Commerce and Industry, for information.

The Governments of Bengal, the United Provinces, and Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department.
The Government of Bengal, Marine Department.
The Secretary to the Honourable the Agent to the Governor-General for Rajputana, Public Works Department.
The Agents, Assam-Bengal, Barsi-Light, Bengal and North-Western, Bengal-Nagpur, Bombay, Baroda and Central India, Burma, East Indian, Great Indian Peninsula, Rohilkhand and Kumaon, South Indian and Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Companies.
The Agent and Manager, His Highness the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railway (through the Honourable the Resident at Hyderabad).
The Managers and Engineers-in-Chief, Bengal Duars, and Bhavnagar-Gondal-Junagad-Porbandar Railways.
The Manager and Executive Engineer, Morvi Railway.
The Chief Engineer, Cutch State Railway.
The Managers, North-Western, Oudh and Rohilkhand and Eastern Bengal (State) Railways.
The Secretary, Indian Railway Conference Association.

Ordered, also, that the Resolution, and the accompanying forms, be published under a Notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India*, and that they be reproduced in the Local Government Gazettes.

[Enclosure to the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), Circular No. 464 R. T., dated the 10th March 1909.]

_____ Railway.

RISK NOTE, FORM D.

[*Approved by the Governor-General in Council under section 72 (2) (b) of the Indian Railways Act, IX of 1890.*]

(To be used when the Sender elects to despatch at a "Special reduced" or "Owner's risk" rate dangerous, explosive or combustible articles for which an alternative "Ordinary" or "Risk acceptance" rate is quoted in the Tariff.)

_____ STATION,

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WHEREAS the consignment of _____ tendered by $\frac{\text{me}}{\text{us}}$, as per Forwarding Order No. _____ of this date, for despatch by the Railway Administration or their transport agents or carriers to _____ Station, and for which $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{we}}$ have received Railway Receipt No. _____ of same date, is charged at a special reduced rate instead of at the ordinary tariff rate chargeable for such consignment, $\frac{\text{I}}{\text{we}}$, the undersigned, do, in consideration of such lower charge agree and undertake to hold the said Railway Administration and all other Railway Administrations working in connection therewith, and also all other transport agents or carriers employed by them, respectively, over whose Railways or by or through whose transport agency or agencies the said goods may be carried in transit from _____ station to _____ station, harmless and free from all responsibility for any loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, the said consignment from any cause whatever except for the loss of a complete consignment or of one or more complete packages forming part of a consignment due either to the wilful neglect of the Railway Administration or to theft by or to the wilful neglect of its servants, transport agents or carriers employed by them before, during and after transit over the said Railway or other Railway lines working in connection therewith, or by any other transport agency or agencies employed by them, respectively, for the carriage of the whole or any part of the said consignment provided the term "wilful neglect" be not held to include fire, robbery from a running train or any other unforeseen event or accident.

$\frac{\text{I}}{\text{we}}$ further agree to accept responsibility for any consequences to the property of the aforesaid Railway Administration (s) and of their transport agents and carriers or to the

property of other persons that may be in the course of conveyance, which may be caused by the explosion of, or otherwise, by the said consignment, and that all risk and responsibility whether to the Railway Administration (s) or their transport agents and carriers, to their servants or to others, remains solely and entirely with $\frac{me}{us}$.

WITNESS. Signature of sender _____

(Signature) _____ Rank or { Father's name _____ / Caste _____ Age _____

(Residence) _____

WITNESS.

(Signature) _____ Profession _____

(Residence) _____ Residence _____

NOTE.—The above form is, for the convenience of the public, translated into the vernacular on the reverse but the form in English is the authoritative form, and the Railway Administration accepts no responsibility for the correctness of the vernacular translation.

[Enclosure to the Government of India, Railway Department (Railway Board), Circular No. 464-R.T., dated the 10th March 1909.]

_____ Railway.

RISK NOTE, FORM G.

[*Approved by the Governor-General in Council under section 72 (2) (b) of the Indian Railways Act, IX of 1890.*]

(To be used as an alternative to Risk Note, Form D, in the case of dangerous, explosive or combustible articles, for which an alternative "Ordinary" or "Risk acceptance" rate is quoted in the Tariff, when the sender desires to enter into a general agreement instead of executing a separate Risk Note for each consignment.)

_____ STATION.

_____ 190 .

Whereas all consignments of _____ for which the Railway Administration quotes both Owner's risk or special reduced rates and Railway risk or ordinary rates are (unless $\frac{I}{we}$ shall have entered into a special contract in relation to any particular consignment) despatched by $\frac{me}{us}$ at $\frac{my}{our}$ own risk and are charged for by the said Railway Administration at special reduced or Owner's risk rates, instead of at ordinary tariff or Railway risk rates, $\frac{I}{we}$, the undersigned, in consideration of such consignments being charged for at the special reduced or Owner's risk rates, do hereby agree and undertake to hold the said Railway Administration and all other Railway Administrations working in connection therewith, and also other transport agents or carriers employed by them, respectively, over whose Railways or by or through whose transport agency or agencies the said consignments of _____ may be carried in transit from _____ station to _____ station, harmless and free from all responsibility for any loss, destruction or deterioration of, or damage to, all or any such consignments from any cause whatever, except for the loss of a complete consignment or of one or more complete packages forming part of a consignment due either to the wilful neglect of the Railway Administration or to theft by or to the wilful neglect of its servants, transport agents or carriers employed by them before, during and after transit over the said Railway or other Railway lines working in connection therewith, or by any other transport agency or agencies employed by them, respectively, for the carriage of the whole or any part of the said consignments, provided the term "wilful neglect" be not held to include fire, robbery from a running train or any other unforeseen event or accident.

$\frac{I}{we}$ further agree to accept responsibility for any consequences to the property of the aforesaid Railway Administration (s) and of their transport agents and carriers, or to the

property of other persons that may be in the course of conveyance, which may be caused by the explosion of or otherwise, by all or any of the said consignments, and that all risk and responsibility whether to the Railway Administrations or their transport agents and carriers, to their servants or to others, remain solely and entirely with $\frac{me}{us}$.

WITNESS.

(Signature)_____ Signature of sender_____

(Address)_____ (Address)_____

WITNESS.

(Signature)_____

(Address)_____

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No. 95.—The following is published for general information :—

No. 487 R. T.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

Calcutta, the 15th March 1909.

Adoption on the Tezpur-Balipara Railway of the amendments in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, of Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (a), of Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89\text{-A}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

Railway Board's notification No. 170, dated the 12th July 1907, and Railway Board's resolution No. 591 R. T., dated the 10th July 1907.

Railway Board's notification No. 337, dated the 19th November 1908, and Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908.

READ ALSO—

Letter No. 215 R., dated the 20th February 1909, from the Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department.

RESOLUTION.—The General Manager of the Tezpur-Balipara Railway has recommended the adoption on the Tezpur-Balipara Railway of the amendments promulgated with Railway Board's circular No. 1970 R. T., dated the 3rd November 1908, and published under their notification No. 337, dated the 19th November 1908, in rule 12, sub-rule (4), and rule 22, Chapter II, and in rule 110 and rule 111, sub-rule (a), Chapter V, Part I of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Tezpur-Balipara Railway in Railway Board's resolution No. 591 R. T., dated the 10th July 1907, read in the preamble above.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the amendments in the said General Rules, cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Tezpur-Balipara Railway.

ORDER.—Ordered that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the amendments cited in paragraph 1 above which have already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Secretary to the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam, Public Works Department, and to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 1, Calcutta, for information.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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No. 13.} CALCUTTA, SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 1909.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, etc.

MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTIFICATION.

Calcutta, the 27th March 1909.

No. 616-*M*.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor General will leave Calcutta on Tuesday, the 30th March 1909. His Excellency's departure will be private.

The Viceroy will visit Amritsar, Lahore and Dehra Dun.

All covers intended to reach the Viceroy and party during His Excellency's tour should be addressed "Viceroy's Camp," without the addition of any post town. Communications of a mere routine nature should be sent, as usual, to the head-quarters of the various Departments.

The party accompanying His Excellency on tour will be:—

Her Excellency the Countess of Minto.
Lady Eileen Elliot.
Mr. S. H. Butler, C.S.I., C.I.E., Foreign Secretary.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. R. Dunlop-Smith, C.S.I., C.I.E., Private Secretary.
Lieutenant-Colonel V. R. Brooke, D.S.O., Military Secretary.
Lieutenant-Colonel W. R. Crooke Lawless, M.D., C.I.E., Surgeon.
Captain Lord F. Scott, A.-D.-C.
Captain R. G. Jelf, A.-D.-C.
Captain W. W. Muir, A.-D.-C.

His Excellency the Viceroy will arrive at Simla by road at 4-30 P.M. on the 1st May. The arrival will be private.

By Command,

VICTOR BROOKE, *Lt.-Colonel*,
Military Secretary to the Viceroy.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Calcutta, the 26th March 1909.

No. 414.—Mr. F. T. Dixon is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 29th July 1909.

No. 419.—The Hon'ble Mr. R. S. Aikman is permitted to resign His Majesty's Indian Civil Service with effect from the 20th April 1909, or the subsequent date on which he may sail from India or relinquish charge of office in the event of his not taking subsidiary leave.

No. 428.—Mr. H. G. Stokes of the Indian Civil Service is appointed to be temporary Additional Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Home Department with effect from the 4th January 1909. This cancels the Home Department notification no. 14, dated the 8th January 1909.

MEDICAL.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 335.—Major R. Bird, C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., Professor of Surgery, Medical College and Surgeon College Hospital, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for three months with furlough out of India for three months in continuation, with effect from the 6th May 1909.

No. 336.—Major F. O'Kinealy, I.M.S., is appointed to officiate as Professor of Surgery, Medical College, and Surgeon, College Hospital, Calcutta, during the absence on leave of Major R. Bird, C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., or until further orders.

JUDICIAL.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 470.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 138 of the Negotiable Instruments Act, 1881 (XXVI of 1881), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. E. E. Heinig to be a Notary Public and to exercise his functions as such within the Benares Municipality.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF THE CENTRAL PROVINCES.

Judicial Department.

NOTIFICATION.

The 8th March 1909.

No. 504.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 5 of the Scheduled Districts Act, 1874 (XIV of 1874), the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces is pleased, with the previous sanction of the Governor General in Council, to extend to the Scheduled Districts of the Central Provinces the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (V of 1908), except sections 1 and 155 to 158, which are already in force there, and so much thereof as authorizes the attachment and sale of immovable property in execution of a decree, not being a decree directing the sale of such property.

B. P. STANDEN,
Chief Secretary.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LAND SURVEYS.

Calcutta, the 22nd March 1909.

No. 305—38-2.—Brevet Colonel G. B. Hodgson, I.A., Deputy Surveyor General, and Superintendent in charge, Burma Surveys, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for 3 months combined with furlough for one year and 4 months under Articles 233, 260 and 308 (*b*), Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 12th April 1909, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

AGRICULTURE.

The 24th March 1909.

No. 355—87-6.—*Addendum.*—In Notification of this Department, No. 311—87-2, dated the 11th March 1909, for the words "with effect from 18th April 1909" *read* "with effect from 1st April 1909."

FAMINE.

The 2nd March 1909.

No. 349—42-4.—With reference to Rule 3, clause (*b*) of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 1616-F., dated the 25th July 1900, the Government of the United Provinces has appointed the Hon'ble Mr. J. M. Holms, C.S.I., I.C.S., an additional member of the Council of His Excellency the Governor General to be a member of the Board of Management of the Indian People's Famine Trust *vice* Mr. H. W. W. Reynolds, I.C.S., resigned.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.

No. 33.—Mr. F. P. B. Wood, Examiner of Accounts, attached to the office of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras, is placed in charge of the current duties of that office, *vice* Mr. A. L. Wright on privilege leave.

No. 34.—In supersession of Notification No. 24, dated the 11th March 1909, Mr. R. B. C. Scott, Deputy Examiner of Accounts, is, on return from leave, posted to the office of the Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Madras.

The 24th March 1909.

No. 35.—Mr. A. H. Wollaston, Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway, is granted, under Articles 233, 260 and 308 (*b*), Civil Service Regulations, combined leave for 2 years, with effect from the 15th April 1909, *viz*, privilege leave for three months, and furlough for the remaining period.

No. 36.—Mr. C. E. Ross, Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Calcutta, is appointed Examiner of Accounts, Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 37.—Mr. P. C. Mole, Examiner of Telegraph Accounts, is appointed Government Examiner of Railway Accounts, Calcutta.

No. 38.—Mr. G. C. Wolfe, Examiner of Accounts, is, on return from leave, reposted as Examiner of Telegraph Accounts.

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort William, the 22nd March 1909.

No. 870-*Est.*—Mr. F. J. Richards, of the Indian Civil Service, Madras Establishment, is appointed to be Collector of the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, with effect from the 8th March 1909.

No. 876-*Est.*—Major W. F. T. O'Connor, C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 4th class, supernumerary, is placed on special duty under the Government of India in the Foreign Department, with effect from the 14th January 1909, and until further orders.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 618-*I. B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the substitution of the words "Act V of 1908, the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908," for the entry relating to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882 (Act XIV of 1882), in the schedule to the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 2919-I., dated the 3rd September 1890.

No. 620-*I. B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the substitution of the words "Act V of 1908, the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908," for the entry relating to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1882 (Act XIV of 1882) in the schedule to the Notification of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, No. 933-E., dated the 8th May 1891.

The 24th March 1909.

No. 733-*G.*—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise provisionally the appointment of Herr Max Miersch, as Consul for Germany at Madras.

No. 907-*Est.*—The services of Mr. E. Maconochie, of the Indian Civil Service, are replaced at the disposal of the Government of Bombay with effect from the 31st March 1909.

The 25th March 1909.

No. 755-*G.*—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. James McAusland McKenzie as Acting Consul for Denmark at Rangoon.

The 26th March 1909

No. 934-*Est* —The services of Lieutenant H. C. Rome, 20th Infantry, are placed at the disposal of the Hon ble the Chief Commissioner and Agent to the Governor General in the North-West Frontier Province, for employment with Frontier Militia, with effect from the date of assuming charge.

No. 938-*Est.*—Captain C. E. Luard, a Political Assistant of the 1st class, on return from furlough, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, with effect from the 17th February 1909.

No. 941-*Est.*—Captain C. E. Luard, a Political Assistant of the 1st class, on special duty under the orders of the Agent to the Governor General in Central India, is posted as Resident at Indore, with effect from the 10th March 1909.

No. 944-*Est.*—Mr. H. N. Bolton, a Political Assistant of the 1st class, is posted, on return from leave, as Deputy Commissioner, Kohat, with effect from the 9th March 1909.

No. 945-*Est.*—Lieutenant J. S. Crosthwaite, a probationer for the Political Department, is posted as Assistant to the Political Agent, Dir and Swat, with effect from the 9th March 1909.

No. 949-*I. B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian (Foreign Jurisdiction) Order in Council, 1902, the Governor General in Council is pleased to apply, with effect from this date, the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (Act V of 1908), to Berar, so far as it may be applicable :

Provided, firstly, that all references to " British India " shall be construed as referring to Berar ;

Secondly, that all references to the " Local Government " shall be construed as referring to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces ;

Thirdly, that references to any Code or Act which has been applied to Berar shall be construed as referring to that Code or Act as so applied ;

Fourthly, that in section 7 and in Order L for the words and figures " Provincial Small Causes Courts Act, 1887," and for the words and figures " Provincial Small Cause Courts Act, IX of 1887," respectively, the words and figures " Berar Small Cause Courts Law, 1905 " shall be substituted ;

Fifthly, that rules 8, 9 and 13 of Order XVIII shall be omitted and that for rules 5, 14 and 15 of the same Order the following shall be substituted ; namely :—

" 5. A note of the essential points of the evidence of each witness shall be made at the time and in the course of oral examination by the Judge in his own language, or in English if he is sufficiently acquainted with that language, and such notes shall be filed with and form part of the record of the case."

" 14. If the Judge be prevented from making a note as above required, he shall record the reason of his inability to do so and shall cause such note to be made in writing from his dictation in open Court and shall sign the same, and such note shall form part of the record."

" 15. When the Judge making a note of the evidence, or causing one to be made as above required, dies or is removed from the Court before the conclusion of the suit, his successor may, if he thinks fit, deal with such note as if he himself had made it or caused it to be made. "

The notification of the Government of India in the Home Department, No. 687, dated the 10th May 1906, is hereby cancelled with effect from this date.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 24th March 1909.

No. 1642-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. F. D. Gordon is appointed to officiate as Deputy Auditor General with effect from the 6th of March 1909.

Mr. J. A. Prazer, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant General, Eastern Bengal and Assam, is appointed to act as a Supernumerary Chief Superintendent in that office with effect from the 3rd of March 1909, or until further orders.

No. 1643-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. F. L. Carvalho is promoted to the senior grade of Chief Superintendents, with effect from the 14th of February 1909, *vice* Mr. H. Whitford, retired.

Mr. E. S. Hensman to officiate as Chief Superintendent, senior grade, with effect from the 14th of February 1909, *vice* Mr. W. I. Bryning, on deputation, or until further orders.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 1676-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. Purna Chandra Sarkar, Officiating Supernumerary Chief Superintendent in the office of the Deputy Comptroller, Post Office, Delhi, is transferred to the office of the Deputy Comptroller, Post Office, Calcutta, with effect from the 5th of February 1909.

Mr. C. E. Vernieux, a Superintendent in the office of the Deputy Comptroller, Post Office, Nagpur, is appointed to act as a Supernumerary Chief Superintendent in the office of the Deputy Comptroller, Post Office, Delhi, with effect from the 5th of February 1909.

No. 1714-*F. O. & A.*—The services of Mr. G. H. B. Jackson, Indian Civil Service, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Madras, with effect from the 25th of March 1909.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 1701-*A.*—The following statements showing the position of the Gold Standard Reserve are published for general information :—

I. Statement of receipts, charges and balance of the Reserve on the 31st December 1908 :—

	Dr.		Cr.
	£		£
Opening balance . . .	18,418,350	Loss on the sale of—	
Moiety of net profit on coinage during the quarter ending 31st December 1908 . .	*Nil*	(*a*) 2½ per cent consolidated stock of the nominal value of £833,160.	
Interest on investments . .	53,847	(*b*) 3 per cent Transvaal Government guaranteed stock of the nominal value of £102,302.	54,361
		Closing balance . . .	18,417,833
TOTAL .	18,472,197	TOTAL .	18,472,197

II. Statement showing the form in which the balance of the Reserve was held on the 31st December 1908 :—

	£
1. As a book credit	310
2. Rupees in India equivalent to	11,991,749
3. British Government 2½ per cent consolidated stock, 3 per cent Local Loan stock, 3 per cent Transvaal Government Guaranteed stock, 2½ per cent Irish Land Guaranteed stock of the nominal values of £4,125,897, £200,000, £1,092,023 and £438,720 respectively	5,425,774
4. Temporary loan to the Government of India at 3½ per cent interest . . .	1,000,000
TOTAL .	18,417,833

J. S. MESTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Calcutta, the 23rd March 1909.

No. 532-*Accts.* —The following officiating appointments of officers of the Military Accounts Department are made, with effect from the dates specified :—

I. From the 24th February 1909, the date of commencement of the furlough portion of Cap ain R. Prince's leave—

Lieutenant G. H. Morgan, Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd class, to officiate as Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.

II. From the 4th March 1909, the date of commencement of the furlough portion of Major G. E. J. Perry's leave—

Captain H. F. Shairp, Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class, to officiate as Military Accountant, 4th class.

Captain W. V. Richards, Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class, to officiate as Assistant Military Accountant, 1st class.

Captain R. H. S. Whitchurch, Assistant Military Accountant, 3rd class, to officiate as Assistant Military Accountant, 2nd class.

R. A. MANT,
Joint Secretary to the Government of India

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

INDUSTRIES.

Calcutta, the 20th March 1909.

No. 2305-5.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (3), of the Indian Tea Cess Act, 1903 (IX of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased, on the recommendation of the Indian Tea Association, to appoint Mr. T. McMorran, of Messrs. Duncan Brothers, to fill the vacancy on the Indian Tea Cess Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. W. D. Cowan.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 2398-3.—Mr. A. Wolferstan, an Assistant Collector in the Imperial Custom Service, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 3rd May 1909, or the subsequent date on which he may be relieved.

POST OFFICE.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 2404-79.—Mr. H. S. H. Pilkington, Officiating Assistant Director General of the Post Office, in the grade of Rs. 800, is confirmed in that appointment with effect from the 1st February 1909.

TELEGRAPHS.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 2408-28.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 7 of the Indian Telegraph Act, 1885 (XIII of 1885), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that,

with effect from the 1st June 1909. the following amendments shall be made in the rules published with the notification of the Government of India in the Public Works Department, No. 298 (Telegraphs), dated the 22nd September 1904, as subsequently amended, namely :—

For Rule 84 the following shall be substituted :—

84. *Re-direction.* Telegrams can be re-directed to a second address, either by an official of the Telegraph Office or by an agent of the addressee. When official re-direction of telegrams is required, a notice to that effect must be given to the Telegraph Office concerned ; printed forms for the purpose can be obtained from the local Telegraph Office. The person who gives notice is responsible for any charges that may be incurred. No additional charge will be levied for re-direction, if the two addresses are within the same town, but if in different towns the full Inland rate according to the class of the telegram will be charged for the re-direction. If the sum due has not been paid at the office where the telegram has been re-directed the amount will be recovered from the addressee before delivery. State telegrams will be re-directed free.

Rule 85 shall be cancelled.

Rule 129 (5). The following shall be added : "Should such a telegram addressed to a correspondent require to be re-directed to another town the full Press rate according to the class of the telegram will be charged for the re-direction."

Rule 283. The sentence "In India, however, telegrams are re-addressed free of charge (Rule 290)" shall be cancelled.

For Rule 290 the following shall be substituted :—

290. *Telegrams re-addressed in India.* The rules for telegrams "to follow" do not apply to telegrams received for delivery in India. Should however the addressee of a Foreign telegram received in India have left the place to which it is addressed, it may be re-directed to a second address in India either by an official of the Telegraph Office or by an agent of the addressee. When official re-direction of telegrams is required a notice to that effect must be given to the Telegraph Office concerned ; printed forms for the purpose can be obtained from the local Telegraph Office. The person giving notice is responsible for any charges that may be incurred. No additional charge will be levied for re-direction if the two addresses are within the same town, but if in different towns, the full Inland Express rate will be charged for the re-direction. If the sum due has not been paid at the office where the telegram has been re-directed the amount will be recovered from the addressee before delivery. State telegrams will be re-directed free.

STATIONERY AND PRINTING.

The 24th March 1909.

No. 2416-38.—Mr. S. S. Cooper, Assistant Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for one year, with effect from the 5th May 1909.

Mr. W. King is appointed to officiate as Assistant Controller of Printing, Stationery and Stamps with effect from the same date and during the absence of Mr. Cooper or until further orders.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

POST OFFICE.

The 24th March 1909.

No. 2439-63.—On return from privilege leave Mr. C. H. Harrison, I.C.S., Postmaster-General, 1st grade, is appointed to the charge of the Punjab and North-West Frontier Circle, with effect from the forenoon of the 17th March 1909.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Fort William, the 26th March 1909.

ORGANISATION.

No. 264.—With the approval of the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, the Governor-General in Council hereby notifies that the Department of Military Supply will cease to exist with effect from the 1st April 1909.

The Military administration of the Government of India will from that date be controlled by the Government of India in the Army Department.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 265.—Major-General R. I. Scallon, C.B., C.I.E., D.S.O., Adjutant-General in India, is appointed Secretary to the Government of India in the Army Department.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 266.—On return from leave, the services of Major D. G. Peart, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma, for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

No. 267.—On return from leave, the services of Major H. deV. Harvest, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, for employment as a Cantonment Magistrate.

No. 268.—The services of Captain E. G. S. Trotter, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, are placed at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, for employment as an Assistant Cantonment Magistrate.

JUDICIAL.

No. 269.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 21st December 1906, it is notified that the Detention Barrack at Bangalore has been abolished, with effect from the 22nd February 1909.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 270.—The following extract is published for general information :—

"*London Gazette*," dated 5th March 1909, pages 1760 and 1761.

India Office,
5th March 1909.

The King has approved of the following promotions among Officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service and Indian Army Departments, and admissions to the Indian Army and Indian Medical Service :—

INDIAN ARMY.

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 11th August 1908.

Rupert Edward Sullivan, Supply and Transport Corps.

Dated 26th October 1908.

Robert Henry Dewing, Commandant, 76th Punjabis.

Dated 13th November 1908.

Robert James Reid Brown, Commandant, 74th Punjabis.

Dated 17th November 1908.

William Crawford Walton, Commandant, 104th Wellesley's Rifles.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 17th December 1908.

Arthur Burke Souter, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).

Dated 24th December 1908.

Arthur Basil Tillard, D.S.O., 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 7th October 1908.

Eric Sydney Percy-Smith, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

Dated 1st January 1909.

Tylden Luck, 67th Punjabis.

Dated 6th January 1909.

James Dunscomb Crowdy, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Ivar MacIvor, 19th Prince of Wales's Own Central India Horse.

Clarence Gordon Hume Henderson, 29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).

John Theodore Crofton Broadbent, 73rd Carnatic Infantry.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Mark Hamilton Vincent, 33rd Punjabis, from the King's (Liverpool Regiment). Dated 4th November 1908, but to rank from 18th February 1906.

Lieutenant Henry Edward Paske, 47th Sikhs, from the Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 30th November 1908, but to rank from 23rd March 1906.

Lieutenant Zante Gower Burmester, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers, from the Royal Field Artillery. Dated 10th November 1908, but to rank from 29th October 1906.

Lieutenant Henry Lugard Fraser, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers, from the 10th (Prince of Wales's Own Royal) Hussars. Dated 4th November 1908, but to rank from 13th November 1906.

Lieutenant Edward William Charles Noel, 44th Merwara Infantry, from the Royal Garrison Artillery. Dated 27th November 1908, but to rank from 21st March 1907.

Lieutenant James Washington Philips, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment), from the York and Lancaster Regiment. Dated 27th October 1908, but to rank from 20th August 1907.

Second Lieutenant George Nigel Miller, 90th Punjabis, from the Northamptonshire Regiment. Dated 4th November 1908, but to rank from 20th August 1907.

Lieutenant Oswald Masters, 99th Deccan Infantry, from the Leicestershire Regiment. Dated 9th November 1908, but to rank from 29th February 1908.

Second Lieutenant Basil Sydney Atkins, 11th Rajputs, from the Suffolk Regiment. Dated 4th November 1908, but to rank from 13th March 1908.

Second Lieutenant Clement Parker Blackett, 6th Gurkha Rifles, from the King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment). Dated 9th November 1908, but to rank from 24th April 1908.

Second Lieutenant Herbert Neville Urmston, 59th Scinde Rifles (Frontier Force), from the Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment). Dated 5th November 1908, but to rank from 23rd August 1908.

Second Lieutenant Brian George Michael Frederick Nixon, 41st Dogras, from the Queen's Royal West Surrey Regiment). Dated 29th October 1908, but to rank from 23rd August 1908.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Dated 25th October 1908.

Caradoc Trevor Davies Berrington, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).

Dated 29th November 1908.

Frederick Maxwell Carpendale, 36th Jacob's Horse.
Richard Henry Wilson, 82nd Punjabis.
Thomas Aubrey Kemble, 81st Pioneers.

To be Second Lieutenants.

Second Lieutenant William Paul Moran, 10th Gurkha Rifles, from the East Surrey Regiment. Dated 5th October 1908, but to rank from 29th August 1906.

Second Lieutenant Harry Norman Baker, 75th Carnatic Infantry from the Cheshire Regiment. Dated 12th November 1908, but to rank from 29th August 1906.

Second Lieutenant Charles Alfred Lowray Howard 32nd Lancers, from the Prince of Wales's Volunteers (South Lancashire Regiment). Dated 24th November 1908, but to rank from 7th November 1906.

Second Lieutenant William Roy Boswell, 28th Punjabis, from the East Surrey Regiment. Dated 3rd November 1908, but to rank from 16th January 1907.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Lieutenant-Colonel to be Colonel.

Dated 15th October 1908.

Aylmer Martin Crofts, C.I.E.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 1st September 1908.

John Francis Boyd (provisionally).
Vernon Northwood Whitamore.

To be Lieutenants.

Dated 1st August 1908.

Reginald Broughton Lloyd, M.B.
Archibald Campbell Munro, M.B.
Ram Nath Chopra, M.B.
Alfred Geddes Tressider, M.B.
Gordon Gray Jolly, M.B.
Hugh Stott, M.B.
Alister Argyll Campbell McNeill, M.B.
Robert Long Gamlen.
Abdus Sattar Khan.
George Frederick Graham, M.B.
Maneck Dhunjishaw Wadia.
Taylor David Murison.
Sohrab Shapoorji Vazifdar.
John Joseph Harper Nelson, M.B.
Edward Selby Phipson, M.B.
Fleet Floyd Strother Smith, M.B.
Sureswar Sarkar.
Arthur Jessop Symes, M.B.
Gerald Lewis Colhoun Little, M.B.
Thomas Crawford Boyd.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENT.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

Conductors to be Assistant Commissaries, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Dated 8th September 1908.

John Duggan.
James Brotherston.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

To be Deputy Commissary, with the honorary rank of Captain.

Dated 16th October 1908.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant John Lawrence.

To be Assistant Commissary, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

Dated 16th October 1908.

Conductor John Richard Rishworth.

The King has approved of the transfer to the Unemployed Supernumerary List of the following Officer :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Malcolm John Meade, C.I.E., Indian Army. Dated 4th February 1909.

The King has also approved of the retirement of the following Officers of the Indian Army, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, and Indian Army Departments :—

INDIAN ARMY.

Colonel Hugh Claude Edward Lucas. Dated 25th January 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Maxwell Carpendale. Dated 31st January 1909.

Captain Oliver Wardlaw White. Dated 27th January 1909.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain William Alexander Heppolette. Dated 2nd November 1908.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain Charles Edward Davis. Dated 23rd September 1908.

Senior Assistant Surgeon and Honorary Captain Cyprian Terence Montrose Nicholas. Dated 16th September 1908.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Edward Horton Battinson Willmott. Dated 16th October 1908.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 271.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

27th February 1909.

Charles Gilbert Carnegy, Commandant, 107th Pioneers.

20th March 1909.

Brevet-Colonel Arthur Robert Dick, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

21st March 1909.

Frank Rowley Metcalfe Charles deRittich Mauduit, Supernumerary List.

Captains to be Majors.

25th March 1909.

Frank McConaghey, Political employ.

Philip Frederick Pocock, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Brevet-Major Arthur Holroyd Bridges, 116th Mahrattas.

Charles Edward Tristram, 42nd Deoli Regiment.
Cecil Henry Buck, Supernumerary List.
Pelham Maitland Home, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
Charles Cowan Newnham, 6th King Edward's Own Cavalry.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

20th January 1909.

Charles Ross Lyall, 36th Sikhs.

2nd March 1909.

Athelstan Chamberlayne, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

24th March 1909.

John Cecil Pearse, 4th Cavalry.
Roland Henry Marsh, 18th Prince of Wales's Own Tiwana Lancers.
Ernest Arthur Hunter Fell, 12th Cavalry.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 272.—The following promotion is made, subject to His Majesty's a pproval:—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert William Steele Lyons, M.D., *vice* Colonel J. McCloghry, F.R. C.S.I., Indian Medical Service, Bombay, retired. Dated 13th January 1909.

Colonel Lyons' tenure of appointment will count from 5th March 1909.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

MADRAS.

No. 273.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain William Rule to be Commissary.

Assistant Commissary and Honorary Lieutenant Lawrence Donaghue to be Deputy Commissary, and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Ernest Price to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor Henry Adam Furnell to be Conductor;

Sergeant John William Wilson to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Commissary and Honorary Captain James Henry Ulyett, retired; with effect from the 10th September 1908.

No. 274.—Sergeant Alfred Farmer Baker to be Sub-Conductor to fill an existing vacancy; with effect from the 10th September 1908.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 275.—The following appointment is made in the Reserve of the Supply and Transport Corps:—

To be Jemadar.

Thakur Sheopal Singh Dube of the Rai Bareilly District.

No. 276.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred on retirement, on Subadar-Major Chinnasami, *Sardar Bahadur*, 2nd Queen's Own Sappers and Miners. Dated 7th February 1909.

PENSIONS.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

No. 277.—Conductor John Atkinson Duncan, Ordnance Department, is transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the 18th February 1909.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 278.—No. 1007, 2nd Class Hospital Assistant Jiwa Ram is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 18th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Calcutta Port Defence Volunteer Corps.

No. 279.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 231, dated 12th March 1909, Commander E. W. Petley, C.I.E., Honorary Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Viceroy, V.D., is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps.

Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.

(Artillery Companies.)

No. 280.—Captain George Henry Evans to be Major and Commandant of "B" Artillery Company, *vice* Brabazon deceased. Dated 17th January 1909.

Northern Bengal Mounted Rifles.

No. 281.—John Lincoln Durant to be Second Lieutenant, *vice* McNaught promoted. Dated 6th February 1909.

Allahabad Volunteer Rifles.

No. 282.—James Skinner Ingram to be Second Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 28th December 1908.

2nd (Presidency) Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 283.—Captain George Lane Anderson to be Major, *vice* Halliday transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 23rd February 1909.

Lieutenant John Henry Bullen to be Captain, *vice* Anderson promoted. Dated 23rd February 1909.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 284.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer:—

Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Captain Michael Patrick Wymer Schembry.

CANTONMENTS.

REGULATIONS.

No. 285.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 26 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), and in modification of the notification of the Government of India in the Military Department No. 664, dated the 16th June 1899, as subsequently amended, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to alter the Cantonment Code, 1899, to the extent set forth below:—

1. In section 30, clause (*b*), the words "the Local Government after consultation with" shall be omitted.
2. Sub-section (4) of section 32 shall be omitted.

3. In section 32, sub-section (5), for the words "Local Government" the word "Officer Commanding the Division" shall be substituted.

4. For section 32, sub-section (6), the following shall be substituted, namely:—

"The sanction of the Officer Commanding the Division to the budget estimate shall be communicated by him to the Officer Commanding the Brigade and the Cantonment authority."

5. The proviso to section 33, clause (*a*), shall be omitted.

6. In section 38, the words "and also by the Local Government" shall be omitted.

7. In section 57, the words "and to the Local Government" in the third line shall be omitted; and the following shall be substituted for clause (*a*), namely:—

(*a*) "an abstract statement of the estimated income and expenditure from the several cantonment funds in his Division; and".

No. 286.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 26 of the Cantonments Act, 1889 (XIII of 1889), and in modification of the Notification of the Government of India in the Military Department No. 664, dated the 16th June 1899, as subsequently amended, the Governo-General in Council is pleased to amend the Cantonment Code, 1899, to the extent set forth below:—

For the present section 104, the following shall be substituted:—

"104. Whoever fails to give notice, as required by section 89 (1), or fails to comply with any notice issued under this chapter, shall be punishable with fine which may extend to fifty-rupees, and, in the case of a continuing failure, with an additional fine not exceeding five rupees for every day after the first in regard to which he is convicted or having persisted in the failure."

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort William, the 26th March 1909.

Under Clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that a report of the death of the undermentioned Commissioned Officer on the date specified, was received in the Army Department between the 17th and 23rd March 1909:—

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Indian Medical Service	Captain George Allick Soltau.	17th March 1909.	Benares	...	...

Statement of Deposits on account of Estates between the 3rd and 23rd March 1909.

On whose account.	Rank.	Corps.	Date of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	Total unclaimed amount deposited.	Date to which claims will be received.
					R A. P.	
*Robert Coulson Young.	Lieutenant	35th Sikhs	1st January 1909.	No Will found.	557 5 8	25th May 1909.

* *Next-of-kin* Father:—
Colonel G. Young, M.B., I.M.S. (retired).
Address—Concordia,
Fleet, Hants, England.

H. M. P. HAWKES,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY SUPPLY.

Fort William, the 26th March 1909.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 16.—The undermentioned 4th class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 3rd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 25th February 1909 :—

Robert Samuel Keelan.
Frank Herbert Foy.
Leslie Stuart Holmes.
Thomas Bertram Butcher.
Henry Anderson King.
Alexander Bayley DeCastro.
Ralph Hope Gorman Thompson.
Donald Lionel Mackay.
Colin Hope Mason.
George Keyes Ashworth Bartels.
Frederick Tucker Deatker.
Arthur Leonard Elloy.
Joseph Werner Butt.
Henry Cecil Phillips.
Bertram Hope Simmons.
Alexander Nicoll de Gruyther.
Thomas Joseph Stuart.
Cecil Henning Lincoln.
Henry Alexander Fox.
Cecil Bertram Benjamin Gibbon.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Madras Establishment.

No. 17.—The undermentioned 2nd class Hospital Assistant, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be 1st class Hospital Assistant, with effect from the 25th March 1909 :—

No. 1322, V. Virásámi Náyudu.

E. W. S. K. MACONCHY, *Colonel*,
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Calcutta, the 22nd March 1909.

No. 97.—Mr. R. J. Collett-White, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, in Class III, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent in Class II of that Establishment, with effect from the 1st January 1909, and until further orders.

The 23rd March 1909.

No. 98.—Mr. P. B. McGowan, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, North Western Railway, is promoted from class III, grade 2 (*sub pro tem.*) to class III, grade 2 (permanent), of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, with effect from the 1st January 1909.

No. 99.—Mr. W. V. Butcher, Assistant Engineer, Nagda-Muttra Railway, is granted privilege leave for one month combined with special leave on urgent private affairs for five months under Articles 233 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 1st May 1909, or subsequent date of relief.

The 26th March 1909.

No. 100.—Major P. Ashworth, R.E., Junior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7, is granted under Article 332 of the Civil Service Regulations extraordinary leave without allowances for 29 days with effect from the 18th January 1909 in continuation of the privilege leave granted to him by the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 7.

No. 101.—Mr. N. M. Carnell of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, Traffic Department, whose services were lent to the Burma Railways Company, is, on return to Government service, posted to the North Western Railway as second Deputy Traffic Superintendent.

No. 102.—Captain G. F. F. Osborne, R.E., Executive Engineer, is transferred from the North Western Railway to the Eastern Bengal State Railway.

No. 103.—*Corrigendum.*—In Railway Board Notification No. 63, dated the 22nd February 1909, regarding the appointment of Mr. H. F. Lockwood, Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, to officiate as a District Traffic Superintendent on that Railway *for* "1st February 1909" *read* "18th January 1909".

No. 104.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 76, dated the 3rd March 1909, Mr. W. E. Harnett, District Locomotive Superintendent, Eastern Bengal State Railway, in Class II, grade 2, of the Superior Revenue Establishment of State Railways, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Locomotive Superintendent of that Railway with effect from the 10th March 1909 and until further orders.

No. 105.—Mr. C. Pratt, Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank, is promoted to Superintending Engineer, 3rd class (permanent), with effect from the 7th February 1909.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 1st April, 1909.

No. 1949.—Under the provisions of section 9 of the Statute 24 and 25 Vict., Cap. 67, the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that His Excellency's Council shall assemble at Simla in the jurisdiction of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

MEDICAL.

The 2nd April, 1909.

No. 353.—Captain W. C. H. Forster, M.B., I.M.S., is appointed to be Professor of Pathology, Medical College, Lahore, with effect from the date on which he assumes charge of that office.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 2nd April, 1909.

No. 611.—The services of the undermentioned officers of the Indian Army are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India :

Captain H. J. Cotton.
Captain H. B. Cheyne.
Captain G. E. Hardie.
Captain C. E. B. Robinson.
Captain B. H. Bignell.

EDUCATION.

The 29th March 1909.

No. 252.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 6, sub-section 3 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to approve of the election by Registered Graduates of the University of Babu Bhupendra Nath Basu, M.A., B.L., and Babu Mahendranath Ray, M.A., B.L., to be Ordinary Fellows of the University.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 1st April, 1909.

No. 39.—Mr. G. T. Anthony, Executive Engineer, United Provinces, is promoted to Superintending Engineer, 3rd class, temporary rank, with effect from the 1st December 1908.

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 1st April, 1909.

No. 659-*I.B.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 29 and 44 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908 (V of 1908), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions and alterations shall be made in the notifications of the Government of India in the Foreign Department, Nos. 4053-I.A., and 2877-I.A., dated respectively, the 18th September, 1902 and the 13th July, 1906, namely :

Under the heading " Mahi Kantha,"

(i) for the words " Court of the Japtidar of Pethapur " the words " Court of the Manager of Pethapur " shall be substituted ;

(ii) the following shall be added :

Court of the Manager of the Mohanpur Taluka.
Court of the Manager of the Khadal Taluka.

No. 1029-*Est.*—Mr. H. R. C. Dobbs, C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 2nd Class, is posted, on return from leave, as Political Agent and Deputy Commissioner, Sibi, with effect from the 3rd March 1909.

No. 1032-*Est.*—Captain A. L. Jacob, a Political Assistant of the 1st Class, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 3rd March 1909.

No. 1035-*Est.*—The undermentioned officer is granted combined leave out of India on private affairs under India Army Order No. 64 of 1904 for three months and twenty-nine days, reckoning from the date of being struck off duty, the first sixty days being privilege leave and the remaining period, leave under the leave rules of 1886 for the Indian Army :

Lieutenant-Colonel R. E. Grimston, C.I.E., Indian Army, Inspecting Officer, Central India Imperial Service Cavalry and Transport.

Pension service 28th year commenced on the 23rd April 1908.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 29th March, 1909.

No. 2478—58.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following promotion in the Superior establishment of the Indian Telegraph Department, with effect from the date specified :

Name.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	With effect from
Mr. H. S. Styan ...	Superintendent, 1st grade ...	Chief Superintendent, 2nd class.	Temporary ...	8th March 1909.

No. 2504—54.—Mr. I. C. Thomas, Chief Superintendent, 2nd Class, Temporary, has been granted privilege leave for twenty-one days, under Article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations, with effect from the 20th of March 1909.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

The 2nd April, 1909.

No. 2531—3.—The following reversions and officiating promotions of officers in the Imperial Customs Service are notified with effect from the dates specified :

Names.	From	To	Nature of promotion.	With effect from
				1909.
Mr. A. Wolferstan ...	Assistant Collector, Class I, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class II, sub. *pro tem.*	Reversion ...	1st February.
Mr. A. E. Boyd ...	Assistant Collector, Class II, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class III, sub. *pro tem.*	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mr. F. D. Lalkaka ...	Assistant Collector, Class IV, sub. *pro tem.*	Assistant Collector, Class IV, officiating.	Ditto ...	3rd February.
Mr. C. R. Watkins ...	Assistant Collector, Class IV, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class V, substantive.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mr. A. Wolferstan ...	Assistant Collector, Class II, sub. *pro tem.*	Assistant Collector, Class I, officiating.	Officiating ...	20th February.
Mr. A. E. Boyd ...	Assistant Collector, Class III, sub. *pro tem*	Assistant Collector, Class II, officiating.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mr. C. R. Watkins ...	Assistant Collector, Class V	Assistant Collector, Class IV, officiating.	Ditto ...	Ditto.
Mr. G. A. Thomas, I.C.S.	Assistant Collector, Class I, sub. *pro tem.*	Assistant Collector, Class II, substantive.	Reversion ...	25th February.
Mr. R. F. L. Whitty, I.C.S.	Assistant Collector, Class II, sub. *pro tem.* and officiating Class I.	Assistant Collector, Class I, sub. *pro tem.*	Sub. *pro tem.* ...	Ditto.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 2nd April, 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 287.—The following appointments are made, with effect from the 1st April 1909 :—

Colonel E. W. S. K. Maconchy, C.I.E., D.S.O., Indian Army, to be Deputy Secretary.

Captain H. F. Cooke, 32nd Sikh Pioneers, to be Assistant Secretary.

PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 288.—The following promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Brevet Colonel.

2nd April 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Leslie Waterfield Shakespear, 2nd King Edward's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Sirmoor Rifles).

Major to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

31st March 1909.

Charles Herbert Clay, Commandant, 1st Battalion, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

28th March 1909.

Samuel William Egerton, 7th Hariana Lancers.

Henry Rundle Lawrence, Political employ.

2nd April 1909.

Edward Charles Talbot, 47th Sikhs.

NATIVE INDIAN LAND FORCES.

2nd-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

1st April 1909.

Malik Mumtaz Muhammad Khan.

Banwar Pirthi Singh.

Bala Sahib Daphle.

NATIVE ARMY.

PROMOTIONS.

No. 289.—The following promotions are made :—

31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.

Risaldar Mirza Umrao Beg, *Bahadur*, M.V.O., to be Risaldar-Major, Ressaidar Muhi-ud-din Khan to be Risaldar and Kot-Dafadar Kabul Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Tilok Singh, *Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 26th February 1909.

Dafadar Hakim Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Saidulla Khan, transferred to the pension establishment ; with effect from the 22nd January 1909.

35th Scinde Horse.

Kot-Dafadar-Major Abdul Hakim Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Saleh Mahomed Shah, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 22nd December 1908.

56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Ali Beg to be Subadar and Havildar Sheikh Bahadur to be Jemadar, *vice* Jundi Khan, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Jemadar Agdi Singh to be Subadar, *vice* Dalganjan Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 18th November 1908.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 290.—The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State for India, to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified:—

Lieutenant-General Arthur George Frederic Browne, C.B., D.S.O., Indian Army,—15th February 1909.

Colonel Frederick Charles Wood Rideout, Indian Army, Supply and Transport Corps,—24th March 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Adrian John Hebron Vanrenen, 8th Cavalry,—31st March 1909.

Major Archibald Francis Pinkney Paxton, 82nd Punjabis,—23rd March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

1st Punjab Volunteer Rifles.

No. 291.—Lieutenant John Fairly, on transfer from the Madras Volunteer Guards, to be Captain, *vice* Crawford, transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 3rd January 1909.

Poona Volunteer Rifles.

No. 292.—Captain Percy Lloyd Bowers resigns his commission. Dated 6th March 1909.

JUDICIAL.

No. 293.—In continuation of Army Department Notification No. 685, dated the 21st December 1906, the Governor-General in Council, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 133 of the Army Act, is pleased to set apart, as a Military Prison, fifty cells and one warder's duty room situated on the northern side of the Detention Barrack at Poona.

R. I. SCALLON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

MEDICAL.

Simla, the 8th April, 1909.

No. 358.—The services of Lieutenant-Colonel R. James, M.B., I.M.S., are replaced temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

No. 360.—The services of Captain W. F. Brayne, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Burma for employment on plague duty.

SANITARY.

The 8th April, 1909.

No. 626.—The services of the undermentioned officers are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India:

Captain H. C. Buckley, M.B., I.M.S.
Captain W. H. Boalth, I.M.S.
Captain C. H. Reinhold, I.M.S.
Captain V. N. Whitamore, I.M.S.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 8th April, 1909.

No. 628.—The following telegram is published for general information:

Telegram dated Pera, the 3rd April 1909.

From—His Britannic Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Constantinople,

To—His Excellency the Viceroy.

Forty-eight hours quarantine Muscat and Bahrein replaced by simple visit in first port possessing a medical officer.

JAILS.

The 8th April, 1909.

No. 113.—The services of Captain C. A. Godson, I.M.S., Officiating Medical Officer, 48th Pioneers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Madras for employment in the Jail Department.

JUDICIAL.

The 8th April, 1909.

No. 511.—The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Coxe, who was placed on deputation by the Home Department notification no. 345, dated the 5th March 1909, to inspect and report to the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on such of the civil courts subordinate to its appellate jurisdiction as it might direct, resumed his seat in the High Court on the 26th March 1909.

POLICE.

The 8th April, 1909.

No. 367.—The services of Lieutenant A. R. Withers, 16th Cavalry, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma for employment in the Burma military police, with effect from the 2nd May 1909.

No. 368.—The notification of the Government of India in the Home Department no. 391, dated 14th May 1903, having been superseded by the notification no. 924, dated the 10th July 1908, creating a general police district embracing the lands occupied by the railways mentioned therein, is hereby cancelled.

No. 374.—The services of Captain R. T. Milne, 13th (D. C. O.) Lancers, are placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma for employment in the Burma military police.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The 8th April, 1909.

No 151.—The Reverend G. M. Davies, a senior chaplain on the Bengal (Nagpur) ecclesiastical establishment, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 7th March 1909.

H. A. STUART,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 8th April, 1909.

No. 818-*G.*—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Count Egon von Thurn und Valsassina as Acting Consul at Bombay for the Austro-Hungarian Empire, during the absence of Herr Jakob Wein.

The 9th April, 1909.

No. 1084-*Est.*—Captain J. H. Watson, 13th Lancers, is appointed to be Adjutant of the Imperial Cadet Corps, with effect from the 29th March, 1909, *vice* Captain R. O'B. Taylor, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse), whose services have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 1st April, 1909.

No. 1737-*F. O. & A.*—Babu Hari Das Mukerjee, Chief Superintendent in the Office of the Accountant General, United Provinces, is granted privilege leave for three months, with effect from the 15th of March 1909.

Babu Madhab Prasad Sinha, a Superintendent in the Office of the Accountant General, United Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent in that Office during the absence on privilege leave of Babu Hari Das Mukerjee, or until further orders.

No. 1738-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. J. W. Young is appointed a Probationer in the Enrolled List of the Finance Department, with effect from the 26th of January 1909, and is attached to the Office of the Accountant General, Bombay.

The 8th April, 1909.

No. 1817-*F. O. & A.*—Mr C. W. Lauder is appointed Issue Officer in the Paper Currency Office, Bombay, with effect from the 1st of April 1909.

No. 1827-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. J. E. C. Jukes, officiating Under Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, is appointed substantively to that office, with effect from the 25th of March 1909.

F. C. HARRISON,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATION.

INDUSTRIES.

Simla, the 6th April, 1909.

No. 2567—5.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 4, sub-section (3), of the Indian Tea Cess Act, 1903 (IX of 1903), the Governor General in Council is pleased, on the

recommendation of the Indian Tea Association to appoint Mr. S. G. Anderson of Messrs. Williamson, Magor and Company to fill the vacancy on the Indian Tea Cess Committee caused by the resignation of Mr. Lockhart Smith.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 8th April 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 294.—Mr. P. Bonarjee, a Superintendent in the Army Department, is appointed to officiate as Registrar, with effect from the 1st April 1909, *vice* Mr. C. Hodgen on one month's privilege leave.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 295.—Brevet-Colonel A. L. M. Turner, R.A., Officiating Inspector-General of Ordnance, Southern Circle, to be Inspector-General of Ordnance, *sub. pro tem.*;

Major H. A. K. Jennings, R.A., Officiating Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance, Northern Circle, to be Deputy Inspector-General of Ordnance, *sub. pro tem.*;

with effect from the 2nd April 1909, *vice* Colonel K. S. Dunsterville, R.A., Inspector-General of Ordnance, Southern Circle, whose tenure of appointment expires.

No. 296.—Lieutenant J. F. de F. Shaw, R.A., Ordnance Officer, officiating 5th class, on half staff pay, to be Ordnance Officer, 5th class, with effect from the 9th March 1909, *vice* Captain C. J. K. Pollard, R.A., Ordnance Officer, 5th class, whose tenure of appointment has expired.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 297.—No. 1030, 3rd Class Hospital Assistant Lal Singh, Indian Subordinate Medical Department, Bengal, who was dismissed by Department of Military Supply Notification No. 34 of 1906, is re-admitted into the service, with effect from the 16th January 1909, on the conditions stated in late Department of Military Supply letter No. 8000-G., dated the 9th December 1908.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 298.—Mr. C. Hodgen, Registrar, Army Department, is granted privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 1st April 1909, with reference to article 199 (*a*), Civil Service Regulations.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 299.—The following extracts are published for general information:—

"London Gazette", dated 5th March 1909, pages 1754 and 1755.

WAR OFFICE, WHITEHALL;
5th March 1909.

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MEMORANDA.

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Colonel Charles C. Ellis, C.B., is placed on the Retired List with an Indian pension. Dated 2nd March 1909.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 300.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

To be Brevet-Colonel.

4th April 1909.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lionel Norton Herbert, 19th Punjabis.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

10th March 1909.

Ivan Hugh Gordon, 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force).

4th April 1909.

Joseph Hedley Henderson, 125th Napier's Rifles.

Claude Butler Gosset, 8th Rajputs.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

SOUTHERN CIRCLE.

No. 301.—Sub-Conductor Charles James Payne, clerk, office of Inspector-General of Ordnance Factories in India, *seconded*, to be Conductor, *seconded*;

Sub-Conductor John Morris Kelly to be Conductor;

Store Sergeant George Graham to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor William James Woodthorpe, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 27th December 1908.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 302.—The undermentioned Assistant Surgeon, 2nd class (supernumerary 1st class) having completed seven years' service in that class, to be Assistant Surgeon, 1st class, substantively, with effect from the 1st March 1909 :—

James Francis Fleming.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 303.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Gurdatt Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs. Dated 1st April 1909.

No. 304.—The following promotions are made :—

15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).

Risaldar Muhammad Amin Khan to be Risaldar-Major, Ressaidar Paind Khan to be Risaldar and Jemadar Ata Muhammad Khan to be Ressaidar, *vice* Nek Muhammad Khan, deceased; with effect from the 20th February 1909.

22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Risaldar Talib Khan to be Risaldar-Major, Ressaidar Murtaza Khan to be Risaldar, Jemadar Azam Ali to be Ressaidar and Lance-Dafadar Habib Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Shams-ud-din Khan, deceased; with effect from the 29th December 1908.

Dafadar Sikandar Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Dhuman Khan, promoted; with effect from the 24th November 1908.

Kot-Dafadar Shah Sawar to be Jemadar, *vice* Ghulam Muhammad, transferred to the 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse); with effect from the 1st January 1909.

29th Lancers (Deccan Horse).

Kot-Dafadar Akhlak Hussain to be Jemadar, *vice* Abdul Ghafur Khan, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th February 1909.

34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

Ressaidar Ali Akbar Khan to be Risaldar, *vice* Sherbaz Khan, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 3rd June 1908.

Kot-Dafadar Rawat Singh to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 3rd June 1908.

2nd Queen's Own Rajput Light Infantry.

Jemadar Indar Singh to be Subadar and Havildar Machal Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Bahadur Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st March 1909.

30th Punjabis.

Subadar Gokul to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Karamdad Khan to be Subadar and Havildar Allah Ditta to be Jemadar, *vice* Ghulam Ali, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st October 1908.

51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Jemadar Latkan Singh to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Gokal to be Jemadar, *vice* Lachhman Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 26th February 1909.

Subadar Bahadur Ali Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Ujagar Singh to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Narayan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Narayan Singh, *Sardar Bahadur*, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st March 1909.

66th Punjabis.

Havildar Akbar Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Bostan Khan, promoted; with effect from the 1st May 1908.

Jemadar Din Muhammad to be Subadar and Havildar Nur Husain to be Jemadar, *vice* Amir Ali Khan, promoted; with effect from the 1st November 1908.

Jemadar Gurmukh Singh to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Sobha Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Chanda Singh, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th February 1909.

87th Punjabis.

Havildar Sewa Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Udham Singh, discharged; with effect from the 16th February 1909.

104th Wellesley's Rifles.

Havildar Mukh Ram to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 2nd November 1908.

110th Mahratta Light Infantry.

Havildar Balkrishna Khause to be Jemadar, to complete the establishment; with effect from the 3rd December 1908.

116th Mahrattas.

Havildar Deoji Rao Kadam to be Jemadar, *vice* Govind Utekar, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 2nd February 1909.

119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Jemadar Uma Rawat to be Subadar and Colour-Havildar Suja Rawat to be Jemadar; *vice* Rama Rawat, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st March 1909.

2nd Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

Havildar Chintandhoj Rai to be Jemadar, *vice* Ganga Dhar Thapa, deceased; with effect from the 2nd August 1908.

1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

No. 305—In Army Department Notification No. 30 of 1909, relative to promotions in the 1st Battalion, 6th Gurkha Rifles *for* "Havildar-Major Kesar Jamansing Gurung" *read* "Havildar-Major Kesar Thapa".

DISMISSALS AND REMOVALS.

No. 306.—Lieutenant Pendarves Christopher Foll Gibson, 1st Prince of Wales's Own Gurkha Rifles, (The Malaun Regiment), is removed from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 25th March 1909.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 307.—Deputy Commissary and Honorary Captain Thomas Goddard, India Miscellaneous List, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval: with effect from the 15th March 1909.

REWARDS.

ORDER OF BRITISH INDIA.

No. 308.—In Army Department Notification No. 4 of 1909, *after* the words "Subadar-Major Muhammad Ghali Khan, *Khan Sahib*, Khyber Rifles." *insert* "Dated 1st January 1909."

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

ORGANISATION.

No. 309.—The incorporation of the Mounted Volunteers in the United Provinces into one Corps of Light Horse, to be styled "United Provinces Horse" will have effect from the 1st April 1909, instead of from the 15th October 1908, as stated in Army Department Notification No. 188 of 1909.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

United Provinces Horse.

No. 310.—The Hon'ble Sir John Prescott Hewett, K.C.S.I., C.I.E., Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 1st April 1909.

The appointments notified in Army Department Notifications Nos. 257 and 258 of 1909 have effect from 1st April 1909 and not as therein stated.

James Williamson to be Second-Lieutenant in the Gorakpore Squadron, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st January 1909.

Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

No. 311.—Captain Robert William Rudall Pennington to be Major, *vice* Marsland resigned. Dated 15th February 1909.

Lieutenant Reginald William Fisher to be Captain, *vice* Pennington promoted. Dated 15th February 1909.

Second-Lieutenant Eric Tom Lambert to be Lieutenant, *vice* Fisher promoted. Dated 15th February 1909.

Bangalore Rifle Volunteers.

No. 312.—Captain Alfred Percy Barton to be Major, *vice* Tait transferred to the Supernumerary List. Dated 21st February 1909.

Eastern Bengal State Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 313.—The third Christian name of Colonel C. A. R. Browne, R.E., is "Righy" and not as notified in Army Department Notification No. 236, dated 12th March 1909.

Cawnpore Volunteer Rifles.

No. 314.—Second-Lieutenant Bertram Richard Briscoe resigns his commission. Dated 24th February 1909.

Bengal and North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 315.—Second-Lieutenant Rupert Ernest Penny resigns his commission. Dated 1st February 1909.

Sind Volunteer Rifles.

No. 316.—Simon Thomas Hutcheson to be Second-Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st February 1909.

East Coast Volunteer Rifles.

No. 317.—Edward Vere Levinge, I.C.S., to be Captain in the Reserve Company, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st March 1909.

MEDALS AND DECORATIONS.

No. 318.—His Excellency the Governor-General of India is pleased to confer the Volunteer Officers' Decoration upon the undermentioned officer :—

North-Western Railway Volunteer Rifles.

Captain Seymour Hamilton Maule Cole.

R. I. SCALLON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 8th April 1909.

Under clause 53 of the Regulations appended to the Regimental Debts Act, 1893, it is notified that reports of the deaths of the undermentioned commissioned officers on the dates specified, were received in the Army Department between the 25th March and 7th April 1909 :

Corps.	Rank and name.	Date of Decease.	Place of Decease.	Testate or Intestate.	REMARKS.
Royal Field Artillery.	2nd-Lieutenant R. S. Richmond.	27th March 1909.	Karachi .	...	...
British service	Major General Ralph Arthur Penrhyn Clements, C.B., D.S.O.	2nd April 1909.	Quetta .	...	...

R. I. SCALLON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.

(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 8th April, 1909.

No. 106.—The following is published for general information :

No. 617-R.T., dated the 6th April 1909.

RESOLUTION—By the Railway Board.

Adoption on the Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway system of the modification of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway.

READ—

Section 47 of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890).

Government of India, Department of Commerce and Industry, notification No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905.

Railway Board's notification No. 183, dated the 8th September 1906, and Railway Board's circular No. R. T. $\frac{89\text{-A.}}{5}$, dated the 8th September 1906.

Railway Board's notification No. 57, dated the 27th February 1908, and Railway Board's resolution No. 422 R. T., dated the 24th February 1908.

Railway Board's notification No. 91, dated the 18th March 1909, and Railway Board's circular No. 476 R. T., dated the 12th March 1909.

READ ALSO—

Letter No. 1955 W.—19, dated the 19th March 1909, from the Agent of the Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway Company.

RESOLUTION.—The Agent of the Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway Company has recommended the adoption on the Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway system of the modification, promulgated under Railway Board's circular No. 476 R. T., dated the 12th March 1909, and published under their notification No. 91, dated the 18th March 1909, of rule 64, Chapter III, Part I, of the General Rules of 1906 for working open lines of railway in British India, which rules were sanctioned for adoption on the Rohilkund and Kumaon railway system in Railway Board's resolution No. 422 R. T., dated the 24th February 1908, read in the preamble above.

2. In exercise of the powers conferred by the notification of the Government of India in the Department of Commerce and Industry, No. 801, dated the 24th March 1905, read in the preamble above, the Railway Board sanction, under section 47, sub-sections (1) and (4), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890), the adoption of the modification of the said General Rules, cited in paragraph 1 above, on the Rohilkund and Kumaon railway system.

ORDER.—Ordered, that this resolution be published under a notification in Part I of the *Gazette of India* as required by section 47, sub-section (3), of the Indian Railways Act, 1890 (IX of 1890); also that the modification cited in paragraph 1 above, which has already been published in the *Gazette of India*, be kept open for inspection at railway stations as directed by sub-section (6) of the same section, and that this resolution be communicated to the Senior Government Inspector of Railways, Circle No. 3, Lucknow, and to the Agent of the Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway Company, for information.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,

Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

PUBLIC.

Simla, the 15th April, 1909.

No. 1970.—THE Governor General in Council directs that the following rules regarding the use of uniform by officers in civil employ shall be substituted for those published with the notification of the Government of India in the Home Department no. 2531, dated the 23rd September 1907:

Rules regarding the use of uniform by officers in civil employ.

[These rules will not apply to officers holding political appointments, whose uniform will continue to be regulated by the orders issued in the Foreign Department.]

1.—The uniform to be worn by officers in civil employ will be that shown in the schedule appended to these rules.

II.—Civil officers who do not hold purely political appointments, but merely have some political work to do in addition to the ordinary duties of their office, are not entitled to wear political uniform.

III.—An officer is not entitled to continue to wear the uniform of an office which he has ceased to hold.

IV.—At Levées, Drawing Rooms and State ceremonials, officers of the Army in civil employ, for whom no political or special uniform is prescribed, shall wear the uniform of the Corps or Department to which they belong: and, on all occasions on which military mess dress is worn by officers in military employ, it may also be worn by military officers in civil employ. But when a military officer is appointed substantively to any civil office for which uniform is prescribed, he shall wear the uniform of that office.

V.—An officer appointed temporarily to an office, for which a uniform is prescribed, need not wear that uniform.

VI.—Retired civil officers, who, when last on duty in India, were entitled to wear uniform, will be permitted to wear their uniform at the Court of His Majesty the King-Emperor; such officers will, when living in India, be permitted to wear their uniform at Government Houses and on any occasion on which, before their retirement, they would have worn it.

VII.—Civil officers whose retirement is due to misconduct will not enjoy the privilege conferred by rule VI.

VIII.—Members of the Indian Civil Service, when on leave in England or otherwise present there during their service, will be permitted to wear their uniform at the Court of His Majesty the King-Emperor.

When attending Full Dress functions, such as Courts and State Balls, in England, officers entitled to wear uniform of the first and second classes described below, should wear breeches, hose and shoes, as described in the extract from the publication entitled "Dress worn at Court," Edition 1908, reprinted below, instead of trousers and boots.

SCHEDULE.

OFFICES AND APPOINTMENTS THE HOLDERS OF WHICH ARE ENTITLED TO WEAR UNIFORM.

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2. Secretaries, Deputy Secretaries and Under Secretaries to the Government of India in the following Departments:— Home. Revenue and Agriculture. Finance. Public Works. Legislative. Commerce and Industry. Private Secretary to His Excellency the Viceroy when not an officer of the Army.	First class, as shown in the "Description of Civil Uniform" appended.

PART I—*contd.*

Officers holding appointments in or under the Government of India—contd.

Office and appointments.	Uniform to be worn.
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PART II.

Heads of local Governments and Administrations and officers holding appointments subordinate to them.

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3. Ordinary Members of the Councils of the Governors of Madras and Bombay.	The uniform prescribed for officers of the third class in the publication entitled "Dress worn at Court," Edition 1908 (extract annexed).
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5. Secretaries. Heads of the Principal Departments. Commissioners of Divisions and Revenue officers superior to them. The Superintendent of Port Blair. Settlement Commissioners under local Governments. Private Secretaries to Governors when not officers of the Army.	First class ditto ditto.
6. Private Secretaries to Lieutenant-Governors when not officers of the Army. Under Secretaries in the Political Department. Personal Assistant to the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces when not an officer of the Army.	Second class ditto ditto.

NOTE.—Lieutenant Governors and Ordinary Members of the Council of the Governor General, or of the Governors of Madras and Bombay, may wear the evening dress prescribed in the "Description of Civil Uniform," and at open air functions the undress helmet.

Extract from the publication entitled "Dress worn at Court," Edition 1908.

FULL DRESS.

Coat for 1st and 2nd classes. Blue cloth, single-breasted, stand collar. The collar and gauntlet cuffs are of black velvet, and the pocket flaps of blue cloth. Nine buttons up the front showing between the two embroidered edges (which are made to hook) two at the waist behind, and two at the bottom of the back skirts. White silk linings. A white collar may be worn inside the collar of the coat.

Gold oak-leaf embroidery on the fronts as follows:—

1st class, not more than 5 inches wide and the 2nd class not more than 4 inches wide at the base of each front, but to broaden across the chest according to figure.

The embroidery on the cuffs should not exceed the following widths:—1st class, 5 inches; 2nd class, 4 inches. The 1st class has a purl edging and the 2nd a saw edge.

The collar, pocket flaps, back, skirts, and back-skirts are also embroidered.

Buttons.—Gilt, mounted, the Royal Arms with supporters.

Coat for 3rd, 4th and 5th class. The coat described below under Levée Dress.

Hat.—1st class. Black beaver cocked hat, black silk cockade. Treble gold bullion loop with tassels and hangers. White ostrich feather border.

2nd class, as above, with double gold bullion loop, plain gold tassels without hangers.

3rd, 4th and 5th classes as above with plaited gold bullion loop and *black* ostrich feather border. No tassels.

Breeches.—White kerseymere with three covered buttons and gilt buckles at the knees.

Hose.—White silk.

Shoes.—Black patent leather with gilt buckles.

Sword.—Of Regulation pattern with black scabbard and gilt mountings.

Sword Knot.—Gold lace strap with bullion tassel.

Sword Belt.—White web, with white cloth frog.

Gloves.—White.

LEVÉE DRESS.

Coat.—Blue cloth, single-breasted, stand collar. The collar and gauntlet cuffs are of black velvet, and pocket flaps of blue cloth. Nine buttons up the front (to button), and two at the waist behind, and two at the bottom of the back skirts. Black silk linings and a black silk stock at the front of the neck. A white collar may be worn inside the coat.

Buttons.—Gilt, mounted, the Royal Arms (without supporters) surmounted by the Imperial Crown.

The 1st and 2nd classes have gold embroidery on the collar, cuffs, pocket flaps, and between the buttons at the waist behind, as on the full dress coat.

The 3rd and 4th classes have embroidery with a saw edge on the collar, cuffs, back, and pocket flaps. The embroidery on the cuffs of the 3rd class is 3 inches wide, and on the cuffs of the 4th class 2 inches wide. The 5th class has an edging of purl embroidery on the collar, cuffs, and pocket flaps only.

Trousers.—Blue cloth, with gold oak-leaf lace on the side seams.

The width of lace as follows:—

1st and 2nd classes, 2½ inches.
3rd and 4th classes, 2 inches.
5th class, 1 inch.

NOTE.—The Full Dress coat prescribed for the Governors of Madras and Bombay, Lieutenant-Governors and Ordinary Members of the Council of the Governor General should only be worn in India with knee breeches. [On certain ceremonial occasions in England the Full Dress coat is sometimes worn with trousers, *viz.*, at Royal Weddings and when His Majesty opens Parliament.]

The two classes of uniform should be worn on the following occasions respectively:—

Full Dress.—State Balls and Drawing Rooms, and all State ceremonies in the evening at which ladies are present.

Levée Dress.—State dinners, Levées, and Official arrivals and departures.

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 19th April 1909.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 478.

The Honourable SIR HENRY ERLE RICHARDS, K.C.S.I., K.C., Barrister-at-Law, resigned his office as an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India, with effect from the 18th April 1909.

No. 479.

A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India by the resignation of the Honourable SIR HENRY ERLE RICHARDS, K.C.S.I., K.C., Barrister-at-Law, His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable MR. SATYENDRA PRASANNA SINHA, Barrister-at-Law, to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India.

The Honourable MR. SINHA has, on this day, taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

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Boots.—Plain, military, patent leather are worn with trousers.

Hat.—
Sword.— } The same as full dress.
Sword Knot.—

Sword Belt.—A blue cloth frog is worn with Levée Dress.

Gloves.—White.

For Mourning—A black crepe band 3¼ inches wide, worn above the elbow on the left arm.

Description of Civil Uniform.

FIRST CLASS.

FULL DRESS.

The Levée Dress prescribed for officers of the 3rd. class in the annexed extract from the publication "Dress worn at Court," Edition 1908.

UNDRESS—(*Morning*).

Coat.—Blue cloth (frock) with black silk lining; black velvet collar and cuffs, and gilt mounted buttons of Royal Arms (without supporters) surmounted by the Imperial Crown; 3 buttons on each side of coat, 4 on cuffs, 2 at waist behind, none at bottom of back skirts.

Waistcoat.—White marsala, single-breasted, with 5 or 6 small buttons as above.

Hat.—Helmet, white felt, rim edged with gold, peak and neck-shade braided with gold, white silk puggree with gold fringe, according to sealed pattern.

Trousers.—Blue cloth, or white, according to circumstances, with gold oak-leaf one inch wide, straps and gilt swan-necked spurs.

Sword.—Mameluke pattern. Brass scabbard.

Sword Belt.—One and-a-half inches wide. Lining of red Morocco leather. Sling Russia leather one inch wide on red Morocco leather, covered with gold oak-leaf lace.

Forage Cap.—Blue cloth with gold embroidered peak on black patent leather, and band of gold oak-leaf lace two inches wide round the cap.

Great Coat and Cape.—Blue milled cloth; double-breasted, two rows of gilt buttons down front, six in each row; stand and fall collar of black velvet, four inches deep, with fly to cover band of cape. Loose round cuffs six inches deep, pockets at sides with flaps. Two openings at side-seams, with pointed flap 11 inches long, and three gilt buttons. Sword slit on left side. Opening behind about 25 inches long, and a gusset extending to bottom with a tab and button to close it when worn on foot. Cloth back strap with gilt buckle, two inches wide, to confine the coat at waist. Cape of same cloth as coat. Four small gilt buttons down front to fasten at neck with small strap and buckle; lined black.

Boots.—Plain Wellington.

Spurs.—Box, brass, swan-necked.

Gloves.—White dogskin.

EVENING DRESS.

Coat.—Blue cloth evening coat, black lining; velvet collar and cuffs; facings plain black silk; buttons as in morning undress, 3 on each side of coat, 2 at waist behind, 4 on cuffs, none at bottom of back skirts.

Waistcoat.—White marsala, single-breasted, with 3 or 4 small buttons as above.

Trousers.—Plain black cloth.

SECOND CLASS.

FULL DRESS.

The Levée Dress prescribed for officers of the 5th class in the annexed extract from the publication "Dress worn at Court," Edition 1908.

UNDRESS—(*Morning*).

Coat.—Blue cloth (frock), with black silk lining; velvet collar and cuffs and gilt mounted buttons of Royal Arms (without supporters) surmounted by the Imperial Crown; 3 buttons on each side of coat, 2 on cuffs, 2 at waist behind, none at bottom of back skirts.

Waistcoat.—White marsala, single-breasted, with 5 or 6 small buttons as above.

Hat.—Helmet, white felt, rim edged with gold, with white silk puggree according to sealed pattern.

Trousers.—Blue cloth or white, according to circumstances, with gold oak-leaf half inch wide, straps and gilt swan-necked spurs.

Sword.—Mameluke pattern. Steel scabbard.

Sword Belt.—
Forage Cap.—
Great Coat and Cape.—
Boots.—
Spurs.—
Gloves.— } Same as for class I.

EVENING DRESS.

Coat.—
Waistcoat.—
Trousers.— } Same as for class I.

NOTE.—The helmet may be worn with full dress when the officer is exposed to the sun. Officers need not, unless they so desire, provide themselves with the great coat and cape described in these Regulations.

Hot weather uniform.

Patrol coat.—White cotton drill, stand and fall collar fastened with one hook and eye; 5 gilt medium buttons down front, 2 patch breast pockets with box plait, one inch wide in centre and pointed flaps with small gilt button in each. Sleeves plain with pointed cuffs 5 inches high at point and 2½ inches behind.

Rank will be designated by shoulder cords and number of buttons on cuffs as follows:—

Shoulder cords.—Of gold wire Lancer shoulder strap cord, on each shoulder.

For Lieutenant-Governors and Members of Council—
4 cords twisted.
„ Class I.—2 cords twisted.
„ „ II.—2 „ straight.

Buttons on cuffs.—For Lieutenant-Governors and Members of Council—4 buttons.
„ Class I.—3 buttons.
„ „ II.—2 buttons.

Trousers.—White cotton drill over-alls with black leather foot straps.

Buttons.—Lieutenant-Governors and Members of Council will wear gilt mounted buttons with the Royal Arms, with supporters. The buttons to be worn with the other two classes of uniform should be gilt mounted bearing the Royal Arms without supporters, surmounted by the Imperial Crown.

Helmet, boots, spurs, forage cap, sword and sword belt.—As for undress. Lieutenant-Governors and Members of Council to wear the same as 1st class officers. Belt to be worn under the coat.

NOTE.—This uniform will be worn in substitution either for the full dress or undress uniform during such periods of the year as the local Government may prescribe. Local Governments are authorised to declare that officers need not provide themselves with it unless an occasion arises when they will require it. When the uniform is worn as full dress, medals and decorations will be worn. When it is worn as undress, ribbons only will be worn. No separate evening dress is prescribed for the hot weather.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

The 5th April, 1909.

No 455.—The Honourable Major-General C. H. Scott, C.B., R.A., vacated the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General on the 4th April 1909.

The 15th April, 1909.

No. 469.—The services of Mr. Aziz-ud-din, C.I.E., M.V.O., a Deputy Commissioner in Berar, are replaced at the disposal of the Hon'ble the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, with effect from the 16th April 1909.

MEDICAL.

The 13th April, 1909.

No. 365.—The services of Captain J. H. Horton, D.S.O., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 371.—Lieutenant-Colonel R. N. Campbell, M.B., I.M.S., is confirmed in the appointment of Inspector General of Civil Hospitals, Eastern Bengal and Assam, with effect from the 2nd April 1909.

SANITARY.

The 13th April, 1909.

No. 634.—Lieutenant-Colonel E. C. Hare, I.M.S., Sanitary Commissioner, Eastern Bengal and Assam, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty days, with furlough for four months and ten days and study leave for three months in continuation, with effect from the 22nd April 1909.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 15th April, 1909.

No. 647.—The services of Lieutenant J. H. Henderson, 125th Napier's Rifles, are replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India.

JAILS.

The 12th April, 1909.

No. 117.—The services of Captain N. H. Hume, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Eastern Bengal and Assam for employment in the Jail Department.

The 15th April, 1909.

No. 121.—The services of Captain C. C. C. Shaw, M.B., I.M.S., are placed temporarily at the disposal of the Government of Burma for employment in the Jail Department.

JUDICIAL.

The 15th April, 1909.

No. 545.—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Government of India Act, 1865 (28 and 29 Vict., C. 17), section 4, the Governor General in Council is pleased to declare that the Nugur, Albaka and Cherla taluqas, which now form part of the Central Provinces shall on and with effect from the 1st July 1909 cease to be subject to the Chief Commissionership of the Central Provinces and be subject to the Government of Madras.

No. 546.—It is hereby notified that the Secretary of State for India has, by Resolution in Council dated the 17th January 1905, declared the provisions of section 1 of the Government of India Act, 1870 (33 and 34 Vict., C. 3), entitled "an Act to make better provision for making laws and regulations for certain parts of India, and for certain other purposes relating thereto", to be applicable to the Bhadrachalam taluq of the Godavari district in the Presidency of Madras, and to the taluqas of Nugur, Albaka and Cherla in the Central Provinces.

No. 547.—Under the provisions of section 5 of the Lower Burma Courts Act, 1900 (VI of 1900), the Governor General in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. L. M. Parlett, of the Indian Civil Service, to officiate as a Judge of the Chief Court, Lower Burma, *vice* the Hon'ble Mr. Justice Irwin, from the 26th April 1909 to the 5th September 1909, or until further orders.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 552.—His Majesty the King Emperor has been pleased to appoint Sir Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I.E., to be Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal.

EDUCATION.

The 15th April, 1909.

No. 274.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 6, sub-section (1), clause (*c*), and section 10 of the Indian Universities Act, 1904 (VIII of 1904), His Excellency the Chancellor of the Calcutta University is pleased to nominate Rai Kumudini Kanta Banarji Bahadur, M.A., to be an Ordinary Fellow of the University.

H. A. STUART,
Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

AGRICULTURE.

Simla, the 16th April 1909.

No. 431—18-7.—Mr. C. J. Bergtheil, Imperial Bacteriologist, at the Agricultural College and Research Institute, Pusa, joined his appointment on the afternoon of the 1st April 1909 on the expiry of his deputation under the Government of Bengal.

FORESTS.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 430—386-17-*F.*—The following appointments are made with effect from the 1st April 1909, consequent on the creation of a second Forest Circle in Eastern Bengal and Assam and of an additional appointment in the 3rd grade of the Conservators of Forests in the cadre of the Imperial Forest Service :

Mr. H. H. Haines, Deputy Conservator of Forests, on leave, to be Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade.

Mr. H. Carter, Deputy Conservator of Forests, on transfer from Burma, to officiate as Conservator of Forests, 3rd grade, in charge of Eastern Circle, Eastern Bengal and Assam, until further orders.

No. 432—137-3-*F.*—The following transfers are made in the interests of the public service :

(i) Mr. J. C. Carroll, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Punjab, to Bengal, with effect from the afternoon of 11th March 1909.

(ii) Mr. J. H. Waddingham, Assistant Conservator of Forests, from Bengal to the Punjab, on return from leave.

R. W. CARLYLE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 13th April, 1909.

No. 830-*G.*—*Erratum.*—In Notification No. 247-G., dated the 25th January, 1909, *for* "Vice-Consul" *read* "Acting Vice-Consul."

The 14th April, 1909.

No. 1116-*Est.*—The undermentioned officer is granted combined leave out of India, on private affairs, under India Army Order No. 64 of 1904, for four months, reckoning from the date of being struck off duty, the first sixty days being privilege leave and the remaining period leave under the Leave Rules of 1886 for the Indian Army :

Captain A. D. Strong, 13th Lancers, Assistant Inspecting Officer, Rajputana Imperial Service Cavalry.

Pension service—15th year commenced on 16th January, 1909.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 854-*G.*—With the sanction of His Majesty's Government, the Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Mr. Andrew Yule as Acting Consul-General for Sweden at Calcutta.

No. 857-*G.*—The Governor General in Council is pleased to recognise the appointment of Monsieur A. Goguet Chapuis as Acting Vice-Consul for Portugal at Calcutta, during the absence of Monsieur C. Jambon.

No. 1131-*Est.*—Captain H. B St. John, a Political Assistant of the 2nd class, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for nine months, with effect from the 30th March, 1909, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

S. H. BUTLER,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 13th April, 1909.

No. 1846-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. J. S. Meston, C.S.I., Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department (substantive *pro tempore*) is, with effect from the 2nd of April 1909, granted privilege leave for three months in conjunction with furlough for three months.

Mr. F. C. Harrison, I.C.S, is appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of India in the Finance Department, with effect from the 2nd of April 1909, and until further orders.

No. 1866-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. N. H. Prenter, Indian Civil Service, is appointed to officiate in Class II of the Enrolled List of the Finance Department and is posted as Assistant Comptroller, Central Provinces, with effect from the 22nd of March 1909.

The 15th April, 1909.

No. 1906-*F. O. & A.*—Colonel G. M. Porter, R.E., Mint Master, Calcutta, is granted privilege leave for one month and eleven days, with effect from the 10th of April 1909.

Captain G. H. Willis, R.E., is appointed to officiate as Mint Master, Calcutta, during the absence on privilege leave of Colonel G. M. Porter, or until further orders.

No. 1907-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. M. K. Ghatak is appointed to officiate as Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 1st of April 1909, until further orders.

Mr. J. A. Robertson is appointed to officiate as Comptroller and Auditor General and Head Commissioner of Paper Currency, with effect from the 2nd of April 1909, until further orders.

No. 1908-*F. O. & A.*—The services of Mr. M. S. D. Butler, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Foreign Department, with effect from the 4th of April 1909.

No. 1910-*F. O. & A.*—The services of Mr. R. Oakden, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the United Provinces, with effect from the 31st March 1909.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

STAMPS.

Non-Judicial.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 1931-*Exc.*—In exercise of the powers conferred by the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (II of 1899), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendments shall be made in the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Finance Department No. 3632-Exc., dated the 29th June 1906, namely:

In rules 7 and 8 (*g*) for the words "Commissioner of Stamps" the words "Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue" shall be substituted.

F. C. HARRISON,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATION.

APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 14th April, 1909.

No. 616-*G.*—Major G. A. Robertson, 15th Lancers, (Cureton's Multanis), to be Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Finance Department (Military Finance), with effect from the 13th April 1909.

R. A. MANT,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

POST OFFICE.

Simla, the 14th April, 1909.

No. 2741—60.—Mr. M. J. Stephen, Superintendent of Post Offices, 2nd grade, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Postmaster General, 3rd grade and Inspector General, Railway Mail Service and Sorting, Eastern Circle, with effect from the afternoon of the 30th March 1909, and until further orders, *vice* Mr. P. J. Gorman, on leave.

The 13th April, 1909.

No. 2775—63.—Mr. H. C. Sheridan, Postmaster General, 2nd grade, in charge of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Circle, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough out of India for nine months, with effect from the afternoon of the 1st April 1909.

Mr. I. G. J. Hamilton, Deputy Postmaster General, 2nd grade, is appointed to act as Postmaster General, 2nd grade, and to hold charge of the Eastern Bengal and Assam Circle during the absence on combined leave of Mr. H. C. Sheridan, or until further orders.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 2795—53.—Mr. G. R. Clarke, I.C.S., Postmaster General, 1st grade, and a Deputy Director General of the Post Office of India, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough out of India for five months, with effect from the afternoon of the 31st March 1909.

The following officiating appointments are sanctioned during Mr. Clarke's absence on combined leave, or until further orders:

Mr. F. Hannyngton, I.C.S., Postmaster General, 2nd grade, to act in the 1st grade from the 1st to the 4th April 1909.

Mr. H. N. Hutchinson, I.C.S, Postmaster General, 2nd grade, to act in the 1st grade, and to be a Deputy Director General of the Post Office of India from the 5th April 1909.

No. 2796—44.—The following appointments and promotions are made in the Post Office, with effect from the 1st April 1909, consequent on the creation of an additional appointment in the 2nd grade of Postmasters General:

Mr. H. C. Sheridan, officiating Postmaster General, 2nd grade, to be confirmed in that grade.

Mr. P. G. Rogers, I.C.S., on special duty in the Post Office, to officiate as Postmaster General, 2nd grade, and to hold charge of the Central Circle.

Mr. P. G. C. Currie, officiating Deputy Postmaster General, 3rd grade, to be confirmed in that grade.

CUSTOMS ESTABLISHMENT.

The 14th April, 1909.

No. 2704—3.—The following reversion of an officer in the Imperial Customs Service is notified with effect from the 5th March 1909:

Name.	From	To
Mr. C. R. Watkins ...	Assistant Collector, Class IV, officiating.	Assistant Collector, Class V, substantive.

The 16th April, 1909.

No. 2783—14.—Mr. F. Buckney, a Probationer in the Imperial Customs Service, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Collector, Class V, in that Service, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

EXPLOSIVES.

The 14th April, 1909.

No. 2721—13.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 5 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), the Governor General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the rules to regulate the transport and importation of Explosives, published with the Notification in this Department No. 4555—4 (Explosives), dated the 31st May 1907:

In rule 25—

(*a*) The following shall be inserted after the first sentence:

"Explosives, other than those referred to in rule 18, which have undergone the test prescribed by the rules made by the Governor of the Straits Settlements in Council under the Explosives Ordinance, 1899, to regulate the

manufacture, use, sale, storage, transport, importation and exportation of explosive substances, may be imported by sea from Penang into the port of Victoria Point under a license granted under rule 20 without re-testing, but subject, in the case of such explosives as are mentioned in rule 13, clause IX, to the production of a certificate as provided by the rule in force in the Straits Settlements";

(*b*) for the word "certificate" at the beginning of the second paragraph the word "certificates" shall be substituted;

(*c*) the following shall be inserted after the second paragraph:

"Explosives, other than those referred to in rule 18, which have already undergone the test prescribed by rules 22 and 23 at the port of Rangoon, may also be re-imported into the ports of Akyab, Sandoway, Kyaukpyu, Tavoy, Mergui or Victoria Point, under a license granted under rule 17 without re-testing, but subject to the conditions laid down in the foregoing paragraphs of this rule relating to the production of a certificate in the case of explosives mentioned in rule 13, clause IX."

B. ROBERTSON,

Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 16th April 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

PERSONAL STAFF.

No. 319.—His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General has been pleased to make the following appointments on His Excellency's Personal Staff, with effect from the 19th April 1909:—

To be Indian Aide-de-Camp.

Risaldar-Major Abdul Karim Khan, *Sardar Bahadur*, His Excellency the Viceroy's Body-Guard, *vice* Risaldar-Major Abdul Aziz, *Sardar Bahadur*, whose tenure of appointment expires on the 19th April 1909.

To be Honorary Indian Aide-de-Camp.

Risaldar-Major Abdul Aziz, *Sardar Bahadur*, 5th Cavalry.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 320.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Army, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant Edmund Montagu-Smith, 1st Battalion, The York and Lancaster Regiment, Squadron Officer, 35th Scinde Horse,—1st February 1909.

Lieutenant William Odell, 1st Battalion, The Connaught Rangers, Double Company Officer, 123rd Outram's Rifles,—4th February 1909.

Lieutenant Francis Burgess Scott, Royal Garrison Artillery, Double Company Officer, 84th Punjabis,—16th February 1909.

Lieutenant Charles Dale Frost, 1st Battalion, The Royal Munster Fusiliers, Double Company Officer, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry,—11th February 1909.

Second-Lieutenant Charles Frederick Gardner, 2nd Battalion, Princess Victoria's (Royal Irish Fusiliers), Double Company Officer, 35th Sikhs,—1st February 1909.

No. 321.—The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Indian Army in the rank of Second-Lieutenant, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India:—

Lieutenant John William Thomson-Glover, 1st Battalion, The Royal Irish Regiment, Double Company Officer, 35th Sikhs,—17th February 1909.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 322.—The undermentioned military pupils having passed their final examination, to be Assistant Surgeons, 4th class, with effect from the 1st March 1909 :—

Walter Cyril Ballantyne.

Albert Henry Thomas Claudius.

Edwin Bunkall Messinier.

William Harold Douglas Shunker.

John Sylvester Dias.

William Victor Pope.

Decimus Stephen Jackson.

Archibald Michael Angelo Jenkins.

Archibald Frederick Gomez.

Gerald Eustace Peacock.

Robert William Kelly.

Charles Edward Clarke.

James Herbert Theodore.

Ernest John Lawrence Slynn.

Eugene Duckworth.

Allan Leslie Greenway.

Francis Hope Jarvis Rowley.

Lionel Patrick Cabral.

Charles Henry Burke.

John George Durning.

Andrew Ernest Dudley.

Albert Donohue Hanson.

Richard Thornhill Leopold.

Frank Herbert Asquith.

John Joseph Cahill.

Glen Joseph Cowper.

Alan Rothwell Bell.

ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.

No. 323.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to gazette the appointment of the undermentioned officer :—

Mr. James Morrison Weir, Chemist, Cordite Factory, Aruvankadu.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 324.—Captain W. C. Anderson, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, is granted six month's furlough to Europe on medical certificate, with effect from the 25th March 1909.

No. 325.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 1007, dated the 18th December 1908, Major H. de V. Harvest, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, a further extension of leave on medical certificate for three months, with effect from the 18th April 1909.

No. 326.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 638, dated the 31st July 1908, Major R. R. Vaughan, Indian Army, Cantonment Magistrates' Department, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, an extension of leave on medical certificate for six months, with effect from the 6th May 1909.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 327.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

"London Gazette," dated 16th March 1909, page 2038.

WAR OFFICE;

Whitehall, 16th March 1909.

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MEMORANDA.

Colonel (temporary Brigadier-General) Fenton J. Aylmer, V.C., C.B., a Brigade Commander in India, to be Major-General, *vice* Sir R. B. Lane, K.C.V.O., C.B. Dated 19th February 1909.

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"London Gazette," dated 19th March 1909, pages 2124 and 2125.

WAR OFFICE;

Whitehall, 19th March 1909.

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MEMORANDA.

The undermentioned officers to be Brevet-Colonels :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Vere B. Fane, Indian Army. Dated 1st January 1909.

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The undermentioned officers, having been admitted to the Indian Army, and to rank from the dates specified against their names, are granted the rank of Lieutenant from those dates, but without pay or allowances :—

Lieutenant Mark H. Vincent (late the King's (Liverpool Regiment)). Dated 18th February 1906.

Lieutenant Henry E. Paske (late Royal Garrison Artillery). Dated 23rd March 1906.

Lieutenant Zante G. Burmester (late Royal Field Artillery). Dated 29th October 1906.

Lieutenant Henry L. Fraser (late 10th (Prince of Wales's Own Royal) Hussars). Dated 13th November 1906.

Lieutenant Edward W. C. Noel (late Royal Garrison Artillery). Dated 21st March 1907.

Lieutenant James W. Philips (late The York and Lancaster Regiment). Dated 20th August 1907.

Lieutenant George N. Miller (late The Northamptonshire Regiment). Dated 20th August 1907.

Lieutenant Oswald Masters (late The Leicestershire Regiment). Dated 29th February 1908.

Second-Lieutenant Basil S. Atkins (late The Suffolk Regiment). Dated 13th March 1908.

Lieutenant Clement P. Blackett (late The King's Own (Royal Lancaster Regiment)). Dated 24th April 1908.

Lieutenant Herbert Neville Urmston (late The Duke of Wellington's (West Riding Regiment)). Dated 23rd August 1908.

Second-Lieutenant Brian G. M. F. Nixon (late The Queen's (Royal West Surrey Regiment)). Dated 23rd August 1908.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 328.—The following promotions are made subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenant to be Captain.

11th April 1909.

Hardwicke Holderness, 1st Prince of Wales's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Second-Lieutenant to be Lieutenant.

16th April 1909.

William Roy Boswell, 28th Punjabis.

No. 329.—The undermentioned officer is promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in the Indian Army, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Second-Lieutenant John William Thomson-Glover, 35th Sikhs,—29th November 1908.

No. 330.—The promotions of the undermentioned officers to the rank of Lieutenant are antedated to the dates noted opposite their names :—

Lieutenants—

Edmund Montagu-Smith, 35th Scinde Horse,—10th January 1906.

William Odell, 123rd Outram's Rifles,—27th April 1906.

Francis Burgess Scott, 84th Punjabis,—21st March 1907.

Charles Dale Frost, 110th Mahratta Light Infantry,—3rd January 1909.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

No. 331.—The following promotions are made, subject to H s Majesty's approval :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

30th March 1909.

Fairlie Russell Ozzard.

Adam Rivers Steele Anderson, M.B.

John Telfer Calvert, M.B.

William Symonds Percival Ricketts, M.B.

Charles Malcolm Moore, M.D.

Edgar Jennings.

Arthur Gervase Hendley.

George William Jenney, M.B.

Charles Tilson Hudson.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 332.—The undermentioned 2nd class Assistant Surgeons, having completed seven years' service in that class, to be Assistant Surgeons, 1st class, with effect from the 20th March 1909 :—

Edwin Joseph Murphy.

Robert Gunn Babonau.

Harry George Charles Mills.

Edward Gerald Alfred Prins.

William St. Michael Hefferman.

Charles Reginald Washington Bancroft.

Patrick Edward O'Donoghue.

William Thomas White.

Herbert William Valentine Cox.

Herbert James Galloway.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 333.—The undermentioned 3rd class Hospital Assistants, having completed five years' service in that class and passed the required departmental examination, to be Hospital Assistants, 2nd class, with effect from the 23rd March 1909:—

No. 1116, Nagindar Singh (E).

No. 1117, Hira Singh (E).

No. 1118, Chuni Lal (E)

No. 1119, Kaka Ram (E)

No. 1120, Gokul Chand (E).

(E) Passed in English.

SUPPLY AND TRANSPORT CORPS.

BENGAL-PUNJAB LIST.

No. 334.—Conductor Alfred Lucking, supernumerary to complement, to be absorbed in the grade of Conductor, *vice* Conductor Charles Satherley, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 25th March 1909.

LATE BOMBAY LIST.

No. 335.—Sub-Conductor Benjamin Thomas Harding to be Conductor;

Sergeant Albert Willie Eugene Davidson to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Conductor Mark William Tyler, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 15th February 1909.

MILITARY WORKS SERVICES, INDIA.

No. 336.—Deputy Commissary and honorary Captain Frederick Beaufort, Assistant Engineer, 2nd grade, Military Works Services, to be Commissary;

Assistant Commissary and honorary Lieutenant Thomas Beck, Assistant Engineer, 3rd grade, Military Works Services, to be Deputy Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Captain, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Conductor Sidney Herbert Sellens, Sub-Engineer, 2nd grade, Military Works Services, to be Assistant Commissary and to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant, subject to His Majesty's approval;

Sub-Conductor Charles Russell, Sub-Engineer, 3rd grade, Military Works Services, to be Conductor;

Sergeant William Hardinge Bailey, Supervisor, 2nd grade, Military Works Services, to be Sub-Conductor;

vice Commissary and honorary Captain William Chaloner, retired; with effect from the 1st March 1909.

No. 337.—Sergeant Charles James Cunningham, Overseer, 1st grade, Public Works Department, Bombay, to be Sub-Conductor, to complete the establishment, with effect from the 1st March 1909.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 338.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Risaldar-Major Shaikh Farid, *Sardar Bahadur*, 26th Prince of Wales's Own Light Cavalry, late Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor of Madras. Dated 10th April 1908.

No. 339.—The honorary rank of Jemadar is conferred, on retirement, on Colour-Havildar (Orderly-room clerk) Benjamin De Souza, 109th Infantry. Dated 15th February 1909.

RESIGNATIONS.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bombay Establishment.

No. 340.—No. 257, 2nd class Hospital Assistant Chhagan-Lal Gopal-ji Dhandhukia is permitted to resign the service, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 341.—In Army Department Notification No. 74, dated the 22nd January 1909, *for* " 31st January 1909 " *read* " 18th February 1909."

RETIREMENTS.

No. 342.—Major Charles Henry Leet Palk, M.B., F.R.C.S.E., Indian Medical Service, Madras, is permitted to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 1st May 1909.

No. 343.—Captain George Henry Vaughan-Sawyer, 23rd Sikh Pioneers, has been transferred by the Secretary of State for India to the temporary half-pay list, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the 3rd May 1909.

No. 344.—The undermentioned officer has been permitted by the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the date specified :—

Major Francis Willie Evatt, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force),—6th May 1909.

PENSIONS.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

No. 345.—The undermentioned warrant officers have been transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the dates specified :—

Conductor Mark William Tyler, Supply and Transport Corps, late Bombay List, with effect from the 15th February 1909.

Conductor Charles Satherley, Supply and Transport Corps, Bengal-Punjab List, with effect from the 25th March 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Rangoon Port Defence Volunteers.

(Artillery Companies.)

No. 346.—Captain Cyril James Keith Pollard, R.A., resigns his commission. Dated 31st March 1909.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

No. 347.—Harry Russell Vaughan to be Second-Lieutenant to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 16th March 1909.

CANTONMENTS.

No. 348.—The Governor-General in Council is pleased to notify, for the information of all persons likely to be affected thereby, that the local area heretofore comprised in the Sutna Cantonment, has ceased to be a Cantonment for the purposes of the Cantonments Act, 1889, (XIII of 1889).

The Notification of the Government of India, in the Foreign Department, No. 35-M., dated the 15th March 1878, published at page 134 of Part I of the *Gazette of India* of the 16th *idem*, describing the boundaries of the said cantonment, is hereby cancelled.

R. I. SCALLON, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

MARINE DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 16th April 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

No. 14.—Commander C. S. Hickman, Royal Indian Marine, Assistant Surveyor, 1st Class, Marine Survey of India, is appointed to officiate as Surveyor in Charge, Marine Survey of India, *vice* Commander W. G. Beauchamp, Royal Indian Marine, on deputation, with effect from the 17th March 1909.

No. 15.—Commander N. F. J. Wilson, Royal Indian Marine, is appointed to officiate as Port Officer, Karachi, *vice* Commander G. S. Hewett, Royal Indian Marine, on leave, with effect from the 26th March 1909.

No. 16.—Engineer W. C. Constable, Royal Indian Marine, is appointed Engineer-in-Charge of the Factory, Bombay Dockyard, *vice* Engineer F. B. Phillips, Royal Indian Marine, with effect from the 1st April 1909.

LEAVE.

No. 17.—Commander G. S. Hewett, Royal Indian Marine, Port Officer, Karachi, is granted seven months' leave out of India on private affairs under paragraph 131, Marine Regulations, India, Volume I, Part II, with effect from the 26th March 1909.

RETIREMENTS.

No. 18.—Sub-Lieutenant F. V. Wilson, Royal Indian Marine, is permitted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India to retire from the service, with effect from the 18th March 1909.

R. I. SCALLON, *Major-General,*
Secretary to the Government of India.

RAILWAY DEPARTMENT.
(RAILWAY BOARD.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 16th April, 1909.

No. 107.—With reference to Notification No. 355, dated the 2nd December 1908, the following Executive Engineers whose services have been replaced at the disposal of the Railway Board are posted as under :

Captains A. Gardiner and W. K. Russell, R.E., to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway ;

Captain H. E. C. Cowie, R.E., D.S.O., to the Lower Ganges Bridge Project.

No. 108.—*Corrigendum.—In Notification No. 100, dated the 26th March 1909, granting extraordinary leave to Major P. Ashworth, R.E., for* "18th January 1909" *read* "28th January 1909."

No. 109.—Captain A. Gardiner, R.E., Executive Engineer, 2nd grade, is, on return from Military duty, appointed to officiate as Deputy Manager, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, with effect from the 7th April 1909, and until further orders.

No. 110.—With reference to Railway Board Notification No. 109, dated the 16th April 1909, Mr. M. S. S. O'Connor, Officiating Deputy Manager, Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, is appointed to officiate as Deputy Traffic Superintendent of that Railway, with effect from the 7th April 1909, and until further orders.

R. C. F. VOLKERS,
Secretary, Railway Board.

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PART I.

Government of India Notifications, Appointments, Promotions, &c.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Simla, the 19th April, 1909.

No. 478.—The Honourable Sir Henry Erle Richards, K.C.S.I., K.C., Barrister-at-Law, resigned his office as an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India, with effect from the 18th April 1909.

No. 479.—A vacancy having occurred in the office of an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India by the resignation of the Honourable Sir Henry Erle Richards, K.C.S.I., K.C., Barrister-at-Law, His Majesty the King, Emperor of India, has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Mr. Satyendra Prasanna Sinha, Barrister-at-Law, to be an Ordinary Member of the Council of the Governor General of India

The Honourable Mr. Sinha has, on this day, taken upon himself the execution of his office under the usual salute.

EXAMINATIONS.

The 14th April, 1909.

No. 157.—The following amendments are made in the rules for the encouragement of the study of oriental languages among the junior members of the Indian Civil Service, published with the Home Department notification no. 632, dated the 20th December 1907. They will come into force from the 1st January 1910:

In rule XI, in the list of subjects for the Degree of Honour examination in Hindustani and also in the list of authorised or recommended text-books substitute "Taubatu-n-Nasuh" for "Fisāna-'i-'Ajā'ib" and "Nazm-i-Muntakhab" for "Dīwān of Atash, 1st half." The new text-books may be obtained from the Board of Examiners, Calcutta.

MEDICAL.

The 21st April, 1909.

No. 381.—Surgeon-General Sir G. Bomford, M.D., K.C.I.E., I.M.S. (Bengal), Director General, Indian Medical Service, is granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-two days with leave on private affairs, under Article 226, Army Regulations, India, Volume II, for six months and eight days in continuation, with effect from the 1st May 1909.

No. 382.—Lieutenant-Colonel C. P. Lukis, M.D., F.R.C.S., I.M.S. (Bengal), Principal and Professor of Medicine, Medical College, Calcutta, and First Physician, College Hospital, is appointed to officiate as Director General, Indian Medical Service, during the absence on leave of Surgeon-General Sir G. Bomford, M.D., K.C.I.E., I.M.S. (Bengal), or until further orders.

The 22nd April, 1909.

No. 387.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. Pilgrim, M.B., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., Surgeon Superintendent of the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, is, with effect from the 21st April 1909, granted privilege leave for two months and one day with special leave on urgent private affairs for three months and twenty-nine days in continuation.

No. 388.—Major E. E. Waters, M.D., I.M.S., is appointed to officiate as Surgeon Superintendent of the Presidency General Hospital, Calcutta, during the absence on leave of Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. Pilgrim, M.B., F.R.C.S., I.M.S., or until further orders.

SANITARY.

PLAGUE.

The 23rd April, 1909.

No. 682.—The following telegram is published for general information:

Telegram dated Pera, the 21st April 1909.

From—His Britannic Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Constantinople,

To—His Excellency the Viceroy.

Quarantine reduced to medical visit on vessels coming from Muscat and Bahrein.

JAILS.

The 19th April, 1909.

No. 125.—*Corrigendum.*—In the Home Department notification no. 99, dated March 19th, 1909, granting leave to Major I. M. Macrae, I.M.S., insert the words "on medical certificate" after the words "22nd September 1908."

JUDICIAL.

The 23rd April, 1909.

No. 579.—Sir Lawrence Hugh Jenkins, Kt., K.C.I.E., took his seat as Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William in Bengal on the 19th April 1909.

H. A. STUART,

Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LAND SURVEYS.

Simla, the 21st April, 1909.

No. 427—52-2.—Brevet Major E. T. Rich, R.E., Officiating Deputy Superintendent, 2nd grade, Survey of India, is granted privilege leave for two months combined with special Mohmand leave for one month and furlough for one year and nine months, under Articles 233, 260 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations and Finance Department's Resolution No. 4226-P., dated 21st July 1908, with effect from the 15th May 1909 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

FORESTS.

The 21st April, 1909.

No. 464—100-2-*F*—*Corrigendum.*—In the Notification of this Department, No. 183—220-32-F., dated the 22nd January 1909, for the date "2nd January 1909" shown opposite the names of Messrs. H. S. Gibson and A. J. W. Milroy, *substitute* "31st December 1908."

R. W. CARLYLE,
Secretary to the Government of India.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 19th April, 1909.

No. 40.—Mr. W. A. Bagley, Executive Engineer, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer, with effect from the 9th April 1909, during the absence on combined leave of Mr. C. H. Barratt.

The 23rd April, 1909.

No. 41.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Sections 4 (1) and 40 of the Indian Electricity Act, 1903 (III of 1903), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to sanction the following license under the aforesaid Act being granted to the Rangoon Electric Tramway and Supply Company, Limited, whose registered office is situate at 14, Dale Street, Liverpool, England, for the supply of energy to the public for the purpose of general supply and to particular consumers under special agreements, but not for electric traction, within the limits of the Cantonment of Rangoon :

RANGOON (CANTONMENT) ELECTRIC LICENSE, 1909.

License granted by the Governor-General in Council under the provisions of the Indian Electricity Act, 1903, to the Rangoon Electric Tramway and Supply Company, Limited, whose registered office is situate at 14, Dale Street, Liverpool, England, for the supply of energy to the public for the purpose of general supply and to particular consumers under special agreements but not for electric traction within the limits of the cantonment of Rangoon.

Short Title.

1. This license may be cited as "The Rangoon (Cantonment) Electric License, 1909."

Preliminary.

2. This license shall be read and construed subject in all respects to the provisions of the Indian Electricity Act, 1903, and of the rules thereunder and the several words,

terms and expressions to which by that Act or by the said rules meanings are assigned shall have in this License the same respective meanings provided that in this license—

(*i*) The expression "The Act" shall mean the Indian Electricity Act, 1903.

(*ii*) The expression "The Licensees" shall mean and include the Rangoon Tramway and Supply Company, Limited, and their permitted assigns.

(*iii*) The expressions "first annexure," "second annexure" and "third annexure" shall mean the first, second and third annexures to this license, respectively.

(*iv*) The expression "deposited map" shall mean the plan of the area of supply deposited with the Secretary to the Government of India in pursuance of the terms of the Act and the rules thereunder and which plan is signed by the Secretary to the Government of India in the Public Works Department and on behalf of the applicants.

Commencement of License.

3. This license shall come into force and have effect upon the day when the notification of its having been granted is published in the *Gazette of India* which date shall be deemed the date of the commencement of this license.

Area of supply.

4. The area of supply which is more particularly delineated upon the deposited map and thereon coloured red is the whole of the area described in the first annexure.

Purchase of the Undertaking.

5. The option of purchasing the undertaking accorded by section 7, sub-section (1) of the Act, shall first be exercisable on the 1st day of October 1947 and on the expiration of every subsequent period of ten years during the subsistence of this license.

List of private streets, railways, etc.

6. The list of streets, railways, bridges, canals and rivers required by rule 6 (*Gazette of India* notification No. 481, dated 23rd December 1903) of the rules made under section 33 of the Act is given in the second annexure.

Maximum charges.

7. The prices charged by the licensees for energy supplied shall not exceed those specified in the third annexure.

Statement of the purposes for which supply is to be given.

8. Subject to the provisions of this license and the Act the licensees shall during the continuance of this license be entitled to supply energy within the area of supply—

(*a*) To the public for the purpose of general supply.

(*b*) To particular consumers under special agreements.

General description of works and system of supply.

9. (1) The supply may be on the polyphase or single phase alternating current system or on the continuous current system.

(2) The distribution for public lamps may be on the alternating current system or on the continuous current system.

(3) The distribution for other purposes may be on the 2-wire, 3-wire or 4-wire constant potential system to and from constant potential transformers or on the continuous current system.

(4) The voltage of the distribution to constant potential transformers shall be within the limits of high pressure and the voltage of distribution from such transformers shall be within the limits of low pressure.

(5) The frequency of the system shall not be less than 50 nor more than 60 cycles per second.

(6) The neutral conductor of the 3-wire system and of the 4-wire system may be connected to earth.

(7) Mains, distributing mains and service lines may be aërial or underground or partly aërial and partly underground.

(8) All aërial lines shall be erected in accordance with the rules provided that—

(*a*) Where a transformer is carried upon a support of a high pressure conductor the high pressure and low pressure aërial lines to and from the transformer may be carried on that support provided that the low pressure aërial lines are not carried on the same side of the pole as the high pressure aërial lines.

(*b*) Where connecting wires are led off from aërial lines to incandescent public lamps such wires may with the approval of the Governor-General in Council be at a less height from the ground than 20 feet provided that the said wires cannot be reached except by means of a ladder or other special device.

(9) For the purposes of section 40 (1) of the rules transformers shall be deemed to "be in suitable places in the sole occupation and charge of the licensees" when carried upon poles or other supports in such position that they cannot be reached except by means of a ladder or other special device.

(10) Where poles erected by the licensees for the purposes of electric traction are available public lamps may be supported therefrom together with any conductors supplying energy to such lamps.

(11) The generating station shall be without the area of supply.

ANNEXURES.

FIRST ANNEXURE.

Description of Area of Supply.

The area comprised within the limits of the cantonment of Rangoon coloured red on the deposited map.

SECOND ANNEXURE.

List of streets not repairable by the Local Government or a Local Authority and of railways, tramways, bridges, canals and rivers referred to in clause 6 of this license—

(1) All bridges within the area of supply under the control of the Rangoon Cantonment Committee.

(2) All railway lines and lands within the area of supply under the control of the Burma Railways Company Limited.

(3) All bridges over the Burma Railways Company's Limited lines within the area of supply under the control of the Burma Railways Company Limited.

(4) Streets (*Nil*).

(5) Canals (*Nil*).

(6) Rivers (*Nil*).

THIRD ANNEXURE.

Maximum Prices.

The maximum prices which licensees shall be entitled to charge for energy supplied at the following rates per kilowatt hour (*i. e.*, per unit) shall be:

(1) For energy supplied by the licensees for other than public lamps—8 annas per unit.

(2) For energy supplied for power—4 annas per unit.

(3) For energy supplied to any motor which drives a generator furnishing energy used for lighting as well as for power the licensees may charge for such energy supplied by them at the rate mentioned in above clause (1) unless the consumer elects to record by meter the proportions of the energy furnished by the said generator which are used for lighting and power in which event the licensees shall charge for the corresponding proportions of the energy supplied by them at the rates mentioned in the above clauses (1) and (2).

No. 42—Mr. W. E. T. Bennett, Superintending Engineer, 2nd class, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Chief Engineer and Secretary to the Government of the Punjab, Irrigation Branch, with effect from the 21st April 1909 during the absence of Mr. J. J. Mullaly on combined leave, or until further orders.

No. 43.—Mr. H. W. M. Ives, Executive Engineer, Punjab, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer, *vice* Mr. Bennett, or until further orders.

No. 44.—Major J. P. Blakeway, R.E., Officiating Superintending Engineer, Central Provinces, is appointed to officiate as Superintending Engineer and Secretary in the Public Works Department, Central India, with effect from the 11th April 1909, during the absence of Brevet-Colonel W. W. Baker, R.E., on combined leave, or until further orders.

L. M. JACOB,
Secretary to the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Simla, the 19th April, 1909.

No. 1151-*Est.*—Lieutenant-Colonel C. Herbert, C.S.I., a Political Agent of the 1st class, is granted furlough for one month and twelve days, with effect from the 4th April, 1909, under Article 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 1152-*Est.*—Major H. L. Showers, C.I.E., a Political Agent of the 3rd class, is posted as Resident at Jaipur, retaining charge of the Alwar Agency in addition, with effect from the 4th April, 1909.

No. 1155-*Est.*—Major R. B. Berkeley, a Political Agent of the 4th class, on return from furlough, is placed on special duty under the orders of the Chief Commissioner of Ajmer-Merwara, with effect from the 15th March, 1909.

No. 1158-*Est.*—Major A. L. Duke, Indian Medical Service (Bengal), an Agency Surgeon of the 2nd class, is posted temporarily, on return from leave, as Residency Surgeon in the Western States of Rajputana, with effect from the 15th March, 1909.

No. 1161-*Est.*—The Hon'ble Sir Charles Stuart Bayley, K.C.S.I., a Resident of the 1st class and Resident at Hyderabad, is granted privilege leave for one month and thirty days combined with furlough for four months and one day, with effect from the 14th April, 1909, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 1162-*Est.*—Mr. E. B. Howell, a Political Resident of the 2nd class and First Assistant to the Resident at Hyderabad, is appointed to hold charge of the current duties of the office of Resident at Hyderabad in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 14th April, 1909.

No. 1169-*Est.*—Captain D. L. R. Lorimer, a Political Assistant of the 2nd class, is granted privilege leave for three months combined with furlough for one year and nine months, with effect from the 1st April, 1909, under Articles 233 and 308 (*b*) of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 1170-*Est.*—Lieutenant J. G. L. Ranking, a probationer for the Political Department, is posted as His Britannic Majesty's Vice-Consul at Ahwaz, with effect from the 1st April, 1909.

The 20th April, 1909.

No. 1188-*Est.*—Major J. Manners Smith, V.C., C.I.E., a Resident of the 3rd class (provisional), on return from furlough, resumed charge of the duties of Resident in Nepal, with effect from the 1st April, 1909.

The 22nd April, 1909.

No. 908-*G.*—With reference to Notification No. 1716-G.B., dated the 1st July, 1908, Mr. R. T. Menzies, Consul for Denmark at Madras, resumed charge of his office on the 1st January, 1909.

No. 1216-*Est.*—Mr. E. H. S. Clarke, C.I.E., a Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is granted privilege leave for two months and twenty-one days combined with special leave for three months and nine days, with effect from the 1st April, 1909, under Articles 233 and 316 of the Civil Service Regulations.

No. 1217-*Est.*—Mr. L. W. Reynolds, a Political Assistant of the 1st class, and an Assistant Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, is appointed to officiate as a Deputy Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department,

with effect from the 1st April, 1909, and during the absence on leave of Mr. E. H. S. Clarke, C.I.E., or until further orders.

No. 1222-*Est.*—The services of Mr. M. S. D. Butler, I.C.S., are replaced at the disposal of the Government of the Punjab, with effect from the 4th April, 1909.

No. 1235-*Est.*—Captain D. G. Wilson, a Political Assistant of the 3rd class, is posted as Assistant Commissioner in charge of the Thal Sub-division of the Kohat District, with effect from the 13th March, 1909.

No. 1236-*Est.*—Lieutenant J. A. Brett, a Political Assistant of the 3rd class, is posted as Assistant Commissioner, Kohat, with effect from the 15th March, 1909.

No. 1241-*Est.*—Captain G. H. Boileau, R.E., 3rd Sappers and Miners, is appointed to be Inspecting Officer, Imperial Service Sappers, with effect from the 4th April, 1909, *vice* Major P. G. Twining, R.E., whose services have been replaced at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief.

S. H. BUTLER,

Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATIONS.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 20th April, 1909.

No. 1989-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. J. W. Ebden, Assistant Comptroller, Central Provinces, is granted privilege leave for ten days, with effect from the 22nd of March 1909.

The 21st April, 1909.

No. 2020-*F. O. & A.*—Babu Upendra Chandra Banerjee, a Supernumerary Chief Superintendent in the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General, is transferred in the same capacity to the office of the Comptroller, India Treasuries, with effect from the 1st of April 1909.

Babu Sarat Kumar Datta Gupta, a Superintendent in the office of the Comptroller and Auditor General, is appointed to act as a Supernumerary Chief Superintendent in that office, with effect from the 1st of April 1909.

No. 2021-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. J. DeVine is posted as Assistant Comptroller General, with effect from the 4th of April 1909.

The 23rd April, 1909.

No. 2056-*F. O. & A.*—Mr. Kshitish Chandra Biswas is appointed a probationer in the Enrolled List of the Finance Department, with effect from the 4th of April 1909, and is attached to the office of the Comptroller, India Treasuries.

F. C. HARRISON,

Offg. Secretary to the Government of India.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT (MILITARY FINANCE).

NOTIFICATION.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Simla, the 21st April, 1909.

No. 662-*Accts.*—Mr. J. Delaney, Deputy Examiner, 2nd grade, Military Accounts Department, is granted an extension of leave on m. c. for twenty-eight days, under Article 336, Civil Service Regulations, from the 4th March 1909.

R. A. MANT,

Joint Secretary to the Government of India.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

TELEGRAPH ESTABLISHMENT.

Simla, the 19th April, 1909.

No. 2829—70.—The undermentioned qualified apprentice is appointed to the Indian Telegraph Department as an Assistant Superintendent, 4th grade (Supernumerary), with effect from the 27th March 1909 :

Mr. Ramchand Malhandas Kewalramani.

GENERAL.

The 22nd April, 1909.

No. 2910—67.—Mr. H. G. Graves, Secretary under the Inventions and Designs Act, is granted privilege leave for five weeks, with effect from the 1st May 1909.

Mr. J. C. Shields, Indian Telegraph Department, is appointed to officiate as Secretary under the Inventions and Designs Act, in addition to his own duties, with effect from the 1st May 1909 and during the absence of Mr. Graves on privilege leave, or until further orders.

EXPLOSIVES.

The 23rd April, 1909.

No. 2933—24.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 17 of the Indian Explosives Act, 1884 (IV of 1884), as applied to Berar by Government of India, Foreign Department Notification No. 4742-I., dated the 4th November 1887, and in supersession of the rules published by Government of India, Foreign Department Notification No. 1236-I. B., dated the 22nd March 1901, the Governor-General in Council is pleased hereby to declare that—

I.—Picric acid when in process of manufacture shall (for whatever purpose used or manufactured) be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act, subject to the following exception :

(*a*) When the picric acid is mixed with not less than half its own weight of moisture in every process of manufacture, it shall be exempt from being deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act.

II.—Picric acid when kept, conveyed, imported or sold shall (for whatever purpose used or manufactured) be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act, subject to the following exceptions :

(*a*) Picric acid mixed with not less than half its own weight of water shall be exempt from being deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act.

(*b*) Picric acid which does not fall within the exemption (*a*), when the quantity does not exceed two thousand pounds in any one ship, boat, carriage, building or place, shall be exempt from being deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act ; provided that such picric acid is so kept and conveyed as not to be liable, whether under the action of fire or otherwise, to come in contact with any substance specified in the schedule hereto, or with any fire or light capable of igniting such picric acid :

Provided also that such picric acid when dry is so packed in a substantial barrel or case that the contents cannot escape ; and that no metal other than aluminium, or an alloy containing not less than ninety per centum of aluminium, is used in the construction of any package containing such picric acid, and that each barrel or case is legibly marked "Picric Acid."

Picric acid when not subject to the above exemptions must be packed and marked as laid down in the rules* relating to the packing of explosives in force in Berar.

* Rules for the Transport of Explosives in Berar.

III.—Picrates and mixture of picric acid with any other substance (for whatever purpose used or manufactured) shall be deemed to be explosives within the meaning of the said Act, subject to the following exceptions:—

(*a*) A picrate mixed with not less than half its own weight of water shall be exempt from being deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act.

(*b*) Picric acid thoroughly mixed with not less than three times its own weight of—

(i) anhydrous sulphate of soda,

(ii) crystallized sulphate of soda, when packed in hermetically closed packages, or

(iii) potash alum,

shall be exempt from being deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act.

IV.—Acetylene when liquid or when subject to a pressure greater than $1\frac{1}{10}$th atmospheres shall be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act:

Provided that, subject to the conditions hereinafter specified, acetylene, when in admixture with oil-gas, shall not be deemed to be an explosive within the meaning of the said Act, when under compression—

(1) The acetylene shall be generated only by the Atkins Dry Process.

(2) The proportion of acetylene shall not exceed fifty parts by volume in every one hundred parts of the mixture of acetylene and oil-gas.

(3) The acetylene and oil-gas shall be mixed together in a chamber or vessel before the gases are subjected to compression.

(4) The mixture shall not be compressed to a pressure exceeding one hundred and fifty pounds per square inch.

Schedule.

Any of the following metals or metallic oxides, namely, lead, oxide of lead, oxide of iron, potash, baryta, lime, soda, oxide of zinc, oxide of copper; and any compound of such metal or oxide (other than a metallic sulphate); or any chlorate, nitrate, or other oxidizing agent; or any other substance declared by a Notification of the Government of India to be capable of forming with picric acid a dangerous compound:

Provided that this schedule shall not be deemed to include any metal, or oxide unavoidably formed on any metal, used in the construction of any ship, boat or carriage, or contained in any paint, where the packages containing picric acid are protected from direct contact with such metal or paint.

B. ROBERTSON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

Simla, the 23rd April 1909.

APPOINTMENTS.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 349.—Major A. H. O. Spence, 39th Prince of Wales's Own Central India Horse, is appointed an Assistant Secretary in the Army Department, with effect from the 22nd April 1909, *vice* Mr. C. H. West, C.I.E., retired.

No. 350.—Captain A. M. Kettlewell, 39th Prince of Wales's Own Central India Horse, is appointed to officiate as an Assistant Secretary in the Army Department, with effect from the 19th April 1909.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 351.—The undermentioned officer is admitted to the Indian Army, with effect from the date specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Lieutenant Kenelm Hill Stenning, Royal Field Artillery, Supply and Transport Officer, 6th class,—21st November 1908.

No. 352.—The undermentioned officers are admitted to the Indian Army in the rank of Lieutenant, with effect from the dates specified, subject to confirmation by the Secretary of State for India :—

Captains—

Leopold Henry Vivian Forster, The Suffolk Regiment, Supply and Transport Officer, 5th class,—11th November 1908.

Eric George Hart, Royal Garrison Artillery, Supply and Transport Officer, 5th class,—26th February 1909.

Ernest Howie Saunders, D.S.O., The Royal Irish Rifles, Supply and Transport Officer, 5th class,—24th November 1908.

Horace William Francis Twiss, The Devonshire Regiment, Supply and Transport Officer, 5th class,—10th February 1909.

COMMANDS.

No. 353.—Major-General R. L. Payne, C.B., D.S.O., British Service, to be a Brigade Commander, *vice* Major-General G. C. Kitson, C.V.O., C.M.G., vacated. Dated 14th April 1909.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

CANTONMENT MAGISTRATES' DEPARTMENT.

No. 354.—With reference to Army Department Notification No. 1006, dated the 18th December 1908, Major W. S. Eardley-Howard, Indian Army, has been granted by the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, a further extension of leave on private affairs till the 31st July 1909.

LONDON GAZETTE.

No. 355.—The following extracts are published for general information :—

"London Gazette", dated 26th March 1909, pages 2353, 2354 and 2355.

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INDIA OFFICE ;

March 23rd, 1909.

The King has approved of the appointment of the following officer to be Colonel of the 105th Mahratta Light Infantry :—

Major-General Robert Augustus Carew Hunt, Indian Army.

The King has approved of the following promotions among officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, and Indian Subordinate Medical Department, and admissions to the Indian Army :—

Majors to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Dated 27th January 1909.

Henry Edward Whiffin, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

William Bensley Young, 63rd Palamcottah Light Infantry.

Robert Patrick Horsbrugh, Supernumerary List.

Dated 10th March 1909.

Adrian John Hebron Vanrenen, 8th Cavalry.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 17th January 1909.

Charles Albert Edmond O'Meara, Supply and Transport Corps.
Edmund Lenthal Swifte, 57th Wilde's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Charles Philip Wynter, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Dated 4th February 1909.

Henry Vivian Montague Langtry, Civil Employ, Burma.
Alexander Haselwood Butler, 43rd Erinpura Regiment.
Brevet Major Harry Arthur Harington Rice, 54th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 6th December 1908.

Betham Wilkins Shuttleworth, 45th Rattray's Sikhs.

Dated 16th January 1909.

James Guy Birnie Gordon, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Dated 17th January 1909.

Peter Benson Maxwell, 35th Sikhs.
Arthur Ion Fraser, 9th Hodson's Horse.
Alexander Charles Purves Cochran, 40th Pathans.
Vernon Edward Gwyer, 10th Jats.
Ernest Edward Sebastian Bennett, 66th Punjabis.
Philip Roper Chambers, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).
Douglas Roderic Giffard Oliver, 67th Punjabis.
Maitland Easton Rae, 81st Pioneers.
Patrick William Burrowes, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Arthur Elliott Somerville Scott, 37th Lancers (Baluch Horse).
John George Faris, 7th Gurkha Rifles.
Geoffrey Davies Pike, 9th Gurkha Rifles.
Hugh Vincent Biscoe, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).
Paul Berthon Kemble, 4th Prince Albert Victor's Rajputs.
Cyril William Prescott, 53rd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Harvey St. George Hume Harvey-Kelly, 64th Pioneers.
George Edward Parry Davis, 106th Hazara Pioneers.
Robert Hugh Howell, 15th Lancers (Cureton's Multanis).
Harold Street, 55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).
Claude Kennedy Crookshank, 34th Sikh Pioneers.
Alexander Marjoribanks, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).
Geoffrey Percival Sanders, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).
Hugh Greenaway, 69th Punjabis.
James Boswell Egerton, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).
Hugh Allan Balderston, 120th Rajputana Infantry.
Arthur Napier De Vere Scott, 2nd Lancers (Gardner's Horse).
Joscelyn Theodore Horsburgh Lane, 39th Garhwal Rifles.
James Percy May, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Henry Robert Baynes Reed, 39th Garhwal Rifles.

Donald Elphinston Robertson, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).

Dated 18th January 1909.

Charles John Patrick MacAlpine Grant, 99th Deccan Infantry.

Dated 20th January 1909.

Patrick Cornelius Saunders, 15th Ludhiana Sikhs.

Claude Alexander Brewer Hamilton, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Robert Cuthbert Blair, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

William Arthur Gover, 7th Duke of Connaught's Own Rajputs.

Francis Metcalfe Ransford, 6th Gurkha Rifles.

Edward Jerome Burdett, 11th Rajputs.

Clive Wentworth Lyon, 42nd Deoli Regiment.

James Robert Cock, 21st Punjabis.

Arthur William Marsh Kemmis, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Conly Edward Dease, 91st Punjabis (Light Infantry).

Malcolm Arthur Russell Bell, 51th Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Henry Frank Whitby, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

Richard Bassett Cockburn Raban, 1st Duke of York's Own Lancers (Skinner's Horse).

Kenneth Douglas Murray Henderson, 17th Infantry (The Loyal Regiment).

William George Ruel, Supply and Transport Corps.

Malcolm McLeod Corbyn, 51st Sikhs (Frontier Force).

Archibald William McRae, 14th Prince of Wales' Own Ferozepore Sikhs.

Arthur Orr Sutherland, 22nd Punjabis.

Edmund Henry Lancaster, Supply and Transport Corps.

Ewan Patrick Grant, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Henry Ignatius Boyd, 13th Duke of Connaught's Lancers (Watson's Horse).

Alfred Hearst Wynn Elias, 1st Prince of Wales' Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

John Frederick Allen, 37th Dogras.

Robert Cuthbert Fergusson-Pollok, 32nd Lancers.

Hugh Francis Edward MacMahon, Supply and Transport Corps.

George Campbell Wheeler, 9th Gurkha Rifles.

Frederick George Gillies, 33rd Queen's Own Light Cavalry.

Evelyn Hugh Foyer Apthorpe, 90th Punjabis.

Edward Butterfield, 90th Punjabis.

Hermann Edward Reinhold, 27th Punjabis.

Richard Lowis Bignell, 41st Dogras.

Robert George Antony Trail, Queen's Own Corps of Guides (Lumsden's).

Reginald Thomas McEnery, 46th Punjabis.

Edmund Marsden, 64th Pioneers.

Percy Lovel Coleridge, 88th Carnatic Infantry.

Claud Hamilton Griffith Black, 34th Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse.

George Hewett, 48th Pioneers.

Theodore Edward Anastasius Dalyell, 129th Duke of Connaught's Own Baluchis.

Henry St. John Sime, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

Dudley Stevens Graham, 128th Pioneers.

Chauncy Batho Dashwood Strettell, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Robert Dundas Alexander, 3rd Queen Alexandra's Own Gurkha Rifles.

Dated 24th January 1909.

Joseph Symonds Hooker, 12th Pioneers (The Kelat-i-Ghilzai Regiment).

John Humphrey Bennett, 3rd Skinner's Horse.

Eustace Lockhart Maxwell, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).

Dated 27th January 1909.

Charles Kennedy-Craufurd-Stuart, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).

Dated 8th February 1909.

Basil Gerald Peel, 81st Pioneers.

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

Dated 29th November 1908.

William Paul Moran, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Harry Norman Baker, 75th Carnatic Infantry.

Dated 7th February 1909.

Charles Alfred Lowray Howard, 32nd Lancers.

John Meredith Randle Ford, 61st Prince of Wales' Own Pioneers.

Second Lieutenants, from the Unattached List, to be Second Lieutenants.

Dated as below, but to rank from 29th August 1906.

George Norman Proctor. Dated 12th November 1908.

Raleigh Blandy. Dated 12th November 1908.

Emile Charles Secondé. Dated 30th September 1908.

John Gordon Gibson. Dated 8th November 1908, but to rank from 7th August 1907.

Dated as below, but to rank from 17th August 1907.

Ronald Playfair St. Vincent Bernard. Dated 11th November 1908.

Frank Owen Newdigate Burne. Dated 10th November 1908.

Henry Betham Davidson. Dated 11th November 1908.

Wilfrid Hardinge Heinig. Dated 26th October 1908.

Hugh Coryndon Pendril Peake. Dated 26th November 1908.

Arthur Neville Rolfe. Dated 13th November 1908.

Seymour Des Voeux. Dated 24th November 1908.

Spencer Julian Wilfred Railston. Dated 13th November 1908.

Nigel Henry King-Salter. Dated 28th October 1908.

Robert Peyton Hughes. Dated 10th November 1908.

John Dighton Grafton-Wignall. Dated 3rd December 1908.

Henry Vere Burt. Dated 28th October 1908.

George Jennings Eldon Manisty. Dated 26th October 1908.

Eugene Launcelot Erskine Lindop. Dated 11th November 1908.

Frederick Terence Hastings Mullaly. Dated 13th November 1908.

John Reginald Vivian Sherston. Dated 12th November 1908.

Roland Ford Lewis. Dated 11th November 1908.

Darell St. John Baxter. Dated 4th November 1908.

Frederick Cromie De Butts. Dated 27th October 1908.

Brian Lloyd Clarke. Dated 13th November 1908.

Cecil Hungerford Jackson. Dated 10th November 1908.

Ernest Wyndham Burdett. Dated 12th November 1908.

Redmond Alexander Macausland. Dated 11th November 1908.

Leo Ruston Messum. Dated 10th November 1908.

Charles Gordon Dowding. Dated 10th November 1908.

Forrester Metcalfe Griffith-Griffin. Dated 10th November 1908.

Hamilton Dunbar Drysdale. Dated 11th November 1908.

Douglas Stewart Davison. Dated 12th November 1908.

Stannus Grant Gordon Fraser. Dated 11th November 1908.

Charles Reginald Watson. Dated 26th October 1908.

George Wigram Pocklington Money. Dated 11th November 1908.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Lieutenant-Colonels to be Colonels.

Dated 14th November 1908.

Charles Fancourt Willis, M.D.

Dated 1st January 1909.

William Alfred Corkery.

Captains to be Majors.

Dated 28th January 1909.

Jasper Maxwell Woolley, M.B.

Clayton Arbuthnot Lane, M.D.

Thomas Bernard Kelly, F.R.C.S.E.

William Hamilton Kenrick.

Charles Henry Watson.

Edgar Francis Eardley Baines.

George Orr Fern Sealy.

Samuel Anderson, M.B.

Francis Hope Grant Hutchinson, M.B.

James Leslie Marjoribanks.

Alexander Fenton, M.B.

Robert Welland Knox, M.B.

Lieutenants to be Captains.

Dated 1st September 1908.

Edgar John Cecil McDonald.

William Dundas Wright, M.B.

Dated 1st February 1909.

Harry William Pierpoint, F.R.C.S.

Khandu Ganpatrao Gharpurey.

William David Henderson Stevenson, M.B.

Henry Patullo Cook, M.B.

William James Fraser, M.B.

Desmond Charles Villiers FitzGerald.

Robert Siggins Kennedy, M.B.

Bernard Higham, M.B.

Charles Aubrey Godson.

Reginald Henry Lee, M.B.

Patrick Heffernan, M.B.

Henry Stewart Hutchison, M.B.

Robert George Gibbon Croly, M.B.

Stanley Trefusis Crump.

William Barbour Alexander Kennedy Cullen, M.B.

James MacGregor Skinner, M.B.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Dated 12th January 1909.

To be Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Captain.

Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant, Edwin Walter Fraser.

To be Senior Assistant Surgeon, with the honorary rank of Lieutenant.

First-Class Assistant Surgeon Harry William De Lanty.

The King has approved of the transfer to the unemployed supernumerary list of the following officer:—

Lieutenant-Colonel George Penry Montague Prichard, Indian Army. Dated 5th March 1909.

The King has also approved of the retirement of the following officers of the Indian Army, Indian Medical Service, and Indian Army Departments:—

INDIAN ARMY.

Lieutenant-General Arthur George Frederick Browne, C.B., D.S.O. Dated 15th February 1909.

Major Arthur Edwin Stewart Hartigan. Dated 11th March 1909.

Major Archibald Francis Pinkney Paxton. Dated 23rd March 1909.

Major Carew Barnett. Dated 17th March 1909.

Major William Fothergill Cooke Tayler. Dated 6th February 1909.

INDIAN MEDICAL SERVICE.

Colonel James McCloghry, F.R.C.S.I. Dated 13th January 1909.

INDIAN ARMY DEPARTMENTS.

Commissary and Honorary Captain William Wilson. Dated 10th December 1908.

Commissary and Honorary Captain James Henry Ulyett. Dated 10th September 1908.

Commissary and Honorary Captain William Joseph Singleton. Dated 23rd September 1908.

The name of Lieutenant Alfred Geddes Tresidder, Indian Medical Service, is as herein described, and not as in the *London Gazette* of 5th March 1909.

The date of rank of Second Lieutenant Philip Walter Jupe, Indian Army Reserve of Officers (see *London Gazette* of 18th September 1908), is 10th July 1908.

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WAR OFFICE, WHITEHALL;

2nd April, 1909.

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MEMORANDA.

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Major-General Sir James W. Murray, K.C.B., Commanding 9th (Secunderabad) Division, India, to be Lieutenant-General, *vice* F. G. Slade, C.B. Dated 1st April 1909.

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PROMOTIONS.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 356.—Lieutenant Evelyn Dalrymple Raymond, 30th Lancers (Gordon's Horse), is provisionally promoted to the rank of Captain, with effect from the 18th April 1909, subject to His Majesty's approval.

No. 357.—The following promotions are made, subject to His Majesty's approval :—

Lieutenants to be Captains.

18th April 1909.

Henry Oswald Bell Wood, 8th Rajputs.

Reginald Williamson Gaskell, 9th Bhopal Infantry.

Arthur Edward Every Sargent, 120th Rajputana Infantry.

Frederick William Hunt, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

Ronald Gordon Thompson Gatherer, 10th Gurkha Rifles.

Francis Grey Oke Sanderson, 126th Baluchistan Infantry.

Barry Hartwell, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Reginald Godfrey Strong, 11th Rajputs.

Douglas Henry Randall Giffard, 8th Gurkha Rifles.

Charles Shaw Cameron, 23rd Cavalry (Frontier Force).

21st April 1909.

Herbert Owen Carroll, Supply and Transport Corps.

Philip Francis Gell, 14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

Joseph Ardoino, 74th Punjabis.

Alfred Ross Withers, 16th Cavalry.

George Thornton Hunter-Gray, 31st Punjabis.

Oswald Erik Todd, 5th Gurkha Rifles (Frontier Force).

Second Lieutenants to be Lieutenants.

19th April 1909.

Hubert John Daniell, 20th Duke of Cambridge's Own Infantry (Brownlow's Punjabis).

Thomas William Corbett, 9th Hodson's Horse.

Guy Stainforth Wemyss St. George, 1st Prince of Wales's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Frederick Charles Gunning Campbell, 40th Pathans.

Vincent Robert Munton, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry.

Henry Darrell Minchinton, 1st Prince of Wales's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Geoffrey Beresford Walker, 31st Punjabis.

Latham Valentine Stewart Blacker, 69th Punjabis.

Edward Annesley Somerville, 22nd Sam Browne's Cavalry (Frontier Force).

John Nethersole, 25th Cavalry (Frontier Force).

Guy Fisher Turner, 82nd Punjabis.

Milo Richard Beaumont Onslow, 21st Prince Albert Victor's Own Cavalry (Frontier Force) (Daly's Horse).

Alfred George Heales, 5th Cavalry.

Morris Birkbeck, 24th Punjabis.

Edward Clarence Braddyll, 10th Duke of Cambridge's Own Lancers (Hodson's Horse).

Theophilus John Ponting, 92nd Punjabis.

Bertram Seymour Raymond, 97th Deccan Infantry.

Cecil Alexander Boyle, 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (Probyn's Horse).

Ernest John Cripps, 33rd Punjabis.

Allan Maxwell Arnott, 4th Gurkha Rifles.

William Harvey Loftus John Welman, 27th Punjabis.

Christopher William Farquharson, 31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.

Herbert Frederick Belli-Bivar, 127th Princess of Wales's Own Baluch Light Infantry.

George Hamilton Hopkinson, 116th Mahrattas.

Sydney Ernest Lodington Baddeley, 19th Lancers (Fane's Horse).

John Donald Ogilvy, 1st Prince of Wales's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Thomas Smith Jobson, 27th Light Cavalry.

Wyndham John Coventry, 7th Hariana Lancers.

Henry Sim Ibbetson Pearson, 114th Mahrattas.

Arthur Cecil Herbert Adrian Eales, 119th Infantry (The Mooltan Regiment).

Reginald Graham Hinde, 124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry.

Eric Garnett Atkinson, 17th Cavalry.

Herbert John Norman, 102nd King Edward's Own Grenadiers.

Lancelot Bolton Irwin, 52nd Sikhs (Frontier Force).

No. 358.—The undermentioned officers are promoted to the rank of Captain in the Indian Army, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Lieutenants—

Leopold Henry Vivian Forster, Supply and Transport Corps,—15th May 1906.

Eric George Hart, Supply and Transport Corps,—1st September 1906.

Ernest Howie Saunders, D.S.O., Supply and Transport Corps,—8th September 1906.

Horace William Francis Twiss, Supply and Transport Corps,—11th February 1908.

No. 359.—In Army Department Notification No. 224 of 1909, notifying the promotion of Major Henry Churnside Beaumont Dann, Commandant, 105th Mahratta Light Infantry, to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, *for* " 1st March 1909 " *read* " 28th February 1909."

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

ASSISTANT SURGEON BRANCH.

No. 360.—The undermentioned 4th class Assistant Surgeons, having completed five years' service in that class, to be 3rd class Assistant Surgeons, with effect from the 31st March 1909 :—

George Francis Duckworth.

Charles Netscher Stewart.

Clarence John Claudius.

John Orpwood.

Francis Joseph D'Rose.

Ernest Edward Copcutt.

Reginald Hastings Hughes.

Albert Edward Gomez.

Cecil Percival Voncoutre Shunker.

HOSPITAL ASSISTANT BRANCH.

Bengal Establishment.

No. 361.—Second class Senior Hospital Assistant, ranking as Jemadar, Ram Kishan (E) to be Senior Hospital Assistant, 1st class, ranking as Subadar ;

No. 447, 1st class Hospital Assistant Maula-bakhsh (E) *seconded*, to be Senior Hospital Assistant, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar, *seconded* ;

(E) Passed in English.

No. 522, 1st class Hospital Assistant (Supernumerary 1st class Senior Hospital Assistant, ranking as Subadar) Piyara Singh (E) is absorbed in the grade of Senior Hospital Assistant, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar;

with effect from the 1st January 1909, *vice* 1st class Senior Hospital Assistant, ranking as Subadar, Damri Lal, superannuated.

No. 362.—No. 570, 1st class Hospital Assistant Nának-chand (E) to be Senior Hospital Assistant, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar;

with effect from the 15th February 1909, *vice* 2nd class Senior Hospital Assistant, ranking as Jemadar, (Supernumerary 1st class Senior Hospital Assistant) Piyara Singh, invalided.

No. 363.—2nd class Senior Hospital Assistant, ranking as Jemadar, Jahángir-bakhsh (E) to be Senior Hospital Assistant, 1st class, ranking as Subádar;

No. 586, 1st class Hospital Assistant Roshan Ali Amanati (E) to be Senior Hospital Assistant, 2nd class, ranking as Jemadar;

with effect from the 15th February 1909, *vice* 1st class Senior Hospital Assistant, ranking as Subadar, Kewal Kishan, retired.

(E) Passed in English.

NATIVE ARMY.

APPOINTMENTS AND PROMOTIONS.

No. 364.—Subject to His Majesty's approval, the honorary rank of Captain is conferred, on retirement, on Subadar-Major Bidhi Chand, *Sardar Bahadur*, 38th Dogras, Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India. Dated 1st April 1909.

No. 365.—The following promotions are made:—

14th Murray's Jat Lancers.

Dafadar Hargyan Singh to be Jemadar, *vice* Sadda Ram, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 16th March 1909.

2nd Queen's Own Sappers and Miners.

Havildar Innasimuttu to be Jemadar, *vice* Antoni, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 13th March 1909.

18th Infantry.

Subadar Mubarak Ali Khan to be Subadar-Major, Jemadar Nawab Khan to be Subadar and Havildar-Major Mahbub Khan to be Jemadar, *vice* Amir Khan, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st February 1909.

55th Coke's Rifles (Frontier Force).

Havildar Mir Dast to be Jemadar, *vice* Mir Hasan, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 3rd March 1909.

1st Battalion, 1st Prince of Wales's Own Gurkha Rifles (The Malaun Regiment).

Jemadar Asman Gurung to be Subadar and Havildar Sublal Gharti to be Jemadar, *vice* Jabar Sing Thapa, transferred to the pension establishment; with effect from the 1st March 1909.

PENSIONS.

WARRANT OFFICERS.

No. 366.—The undermentioned warrant officer has been transferred to the pension establishment, with effect from the date specified:—

Conductor Frederick Augustus Borrett, Supply and Transport Corps, (late) Bombay List; with effect from the 19th March 1909.

RETIREMENTS.

ARMY DEPARTMENT.

No. 367.—Mr. C. H. West, C.I.E., an Assistant Secretary in the Army Department, is permitted to retire from the service, with effect from the 22nd April 1909.

INDIAN ARMY.

No. 368.—The undermentioned officers have been permitted by the Secretary of State for India, to retire from the service, subject to His Majesty's approval, with effect from the dates specified :—

Colonel William Spiller Birdwood, Indian Army,—19th March 1909.

Colonel Andrew William Proudfoot, Indian Army,—15th March 1909.

Major Montague Leyland Hornby, D.S.O., 56th Punjabi Rifles (Frontier Force),—29th April 1909.

Major Edward Russell Foord, Military Accounts Department,—11th April 1909.

VOLUNTEER CORPS.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS.

Madras Artillery Volunteers "The Duke's Own."

No. 369.—Second-Lieutenant John Frederick Graham to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 16th April 1909.

Second-Lieutenant Percy Holt to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 16th April 1909.

Cossipore Artillery Volunteers.

No. 370.—Major Charles William Tosh, V.D., is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd March 1909.

Chota Nagpur Mounted Rifles.

No. 371.—Robert Rowell Simpson to be Captain, to complete the establishment. Dated 11th November 1908.

George Miller to be Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 11th November 1908.

Edward Neville Forbes to be Second-Lieutenant, to complete the establishment. Dated 11th November 1908.

Madras Volunteer Guards.

No. 372.—Second-Lieutenant Frank Harold Bowden to be Lieutenant, *vice* J. Fairly transferred. Dated 19th March 1909.

Hubert Charles Newcomen Prance to be Second-Lieutenant, *vice* F. H. Bowden promoted. Dated 19th March 1909.

William Alexander Gascoigne Lynde to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 20th March 1909.

1st Battalion, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles.

No. 373.—Captain Frank Powell Connor, F.R.C.S., I.M.S., to be Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 1st September 1908.

East Indian Railway Volunteer Rifles.

No. 374.—Captain (Honorary Major) Alexander Whyte, V.D., resigns his commission, and is permitted, on retirement, to retain his rank and wear the uniform of the Corps. Dated 1st April 1909.

Rangoon Volunteer Rifles.

No. 375.—Lieutenant Charles Robert Connell, (Supernumerary List), resigns his commission. Dated 8th December 1908.

Nilgiri Volunteer Rifles.

No. 376.—Edmund William Patrick Walsh to be Second-Lieutenant, to fill an existing vacancy. Dated 22nd March 1909.